

ILLINOIS DISTRICT FEDERAL OFFICIALS ARE SUSPENDED

**Given Thirty Days For
Lack of Sympathy
with Department**

WASHINGTON, March 7.—Assistant U. S. Attorney John E. Dougherty and Deputy U. S. Marshal Williams, whose territory includes Rock Island, Ill., have been suspended for thirty days for lack of sympathy with the policy of the department of justice regarding the sale of liquor and enforcement of the law in vice zones adjacent to army camps.

The announcement said that for an indefinite period in the future special officers of the department will keep strict watch over the cities adjacent to the Rock Island camp.

Their suspension announced today by the attorney general is the result of a personal investigation under the direction of the attorney general regarding conditions at Rock Island, Ill., which adjoins an ordnance training camp.

"The deplorable conditions found to exist at Rock Island," the attorney general said, "have been caused largely by the neglect of the municipal authorities to preserve order and decency and this has imposed an added responsibility upon federal officials in that jurisdiction."

During the thirty days for which the officers are suspended they will be given a hearing pending consideration of their removal.

The attorney general's statement follows: "As a result of an investigation made under his personal direction into conditions at Rock Island, Ill., which adjoins the United States ordnance training camp, Attorney General Gregory today suspended for a period of thirty days Assistant U. S. Attorney John E. Dougherty, directed the U. S. Marshal to suspend for a similar period, Deputy U. S. Marshal Williams. Both of these men will be given a hearing pending consideration of their removal."

"This action has been taken because of what appears to have been lack of sympathy on the part of these two officials with the settled policy of the department of justice to enforce the law strictly with reference to the liquor and vice zones created by the president adjacent to army camps. The deplorable conditions found to exist at Rock Island have caused largely by the neglect of the municipal authorities to preserve order and decency and that has imposed an added responsibility upon federal officials in that jurisdiction."

"For an indefinite period the cities adjacent to the camp at Rock Island will be held under strict surveillance by special officers of the department of justice."

Many Saloons Have Closed
Rock Island, Ill., March 7.—As the result of an investigation of vice conditions around the Rock Island arsenal where several hundred soldiers are encamped, by department of justice and army officials all saloons within half a mile of the entrance of the arsenal and all disorderly houses within a five mile zone were ordered closed on Feb. 23. The enforcement of the order put 53 saloons and 27 wholesale liquor houses out of business. Forty-two saloons and 12 wholesale retail liquor houses were left in operation. The district affected by the five mile zone includes all of Rock Island, Moline, East Moline, Ill., and Davenport, Iowa.

Order Saloon Closing
Peoria, Ill., March 7.—United States District Attorney E. C. Knotts of Springfield, immediately following the suspension of Assistant District Attorney Dougherty this afternoon ordered the closing of six saloons in East Peoria, within a half mile of Camp Herring.

Ready to Answer Charges
Quincy, Ill., March 7.—Assistant District Attorney John E. Dougherty of Peoria announced tonight that he was ready to answer all charges brought against him in connection with the enforcement of federal liquor regulations in Rock Island. He was at a loss to account for his suspension but explained that religious influences had been antagonistic to him since he assumed the office.

Mr. Dougherty claimed that he closed up Peoria in compliance with the federal regulations on his own initiative. Dougherty left tonight for his home in Peoria.

Welcomes Investigation
Peoria, Ill., March 7.—"I welcome an investigation," Deputy U. S. Marshal Walter Williams said this afternoon when advised that his suspension in connection with the attorney general's inquiry into conditions in Rock Island near the army camps. Assistant district U. S. Attorney John E. Dougherty is in Quincy today.

Suspension of the two federal district officials was considered officially an indication of the determination of the department of justice to enforce strictly anti-liquor and vice regulations about army and navy camps. Field officers of the department will be expected to take action on their own initiative to remedy improper conditions, it was explained and not await prodding by the department.

NATIONAL PARTY ADOPTS PLATFORM

Equal Suffrage, Nationwide Prohibition and Radical Legislation Favoring Farmers and Labor are the Chief Planks.

Chicago, March 7.—Equal Suffrage, nationwide prohibition and radical legislation favoring farmers and laborers are the chief planks of the platform of the national party adopted here today at a convention attended by about 200 delegates, one hundred of which are bolters from the prohibition party.

Its platform was adopted by an unanimous vote and is the first definite expression of the policies of the new party. A summary of it follows:

In regard to suffrage, the right of men and women to vote on all questions and enforcement of the laws, enfranchising of negroes and others regardless of color or race is demanded.

The prohibition plank pledges the party to work for nationwide prohibition and for immediate ratification of the constitutional amendment.

Extension of the federal loan law is the most important legislation concerning farmers which is advocated.

Advance loans on crops or products in storage, government insurance of farms and stock, federal inspection of farm products at terminals and unloading of all farm equipment and measures to prevent the holding of large tracts of land idle are included.

Limitation of immigration, shortening of working hours, government insurance, more rigorous inspection of factories and working places, adequate enforcement of child labor laws are some of the things urged in the labor plank. It is also advocated that the government forbid interstate shipments of articles made by children, women employed more than eight hours a day or six days a week, convicts under private contract or persons employed in unsanitary factories or mines. Abolition of contract prison labor and the honor system in prisons is advocated. The platform advocates that the party recognize that the republic of the world is the goal for international political development and urges abolition of secret diplomacy, freedom of the seas and abolition of prohibitive or discriminatory tariffs or taxes upon trade and commerce. Foreign investments must bear their own risks, another plank demands.

Other conditions advocated are freedom of speech both by word of mouth and by printed matter, short ballot in state and municipal elections, right of absentee citizens to vote by affidavit, public ownership of utilities and extension of the postal system. Practically the only arguments over the platform came on the question of whether negroes should be specified in the suffrage plank and whether governmental insurance of laborers should be compulsory. A brilliant speech by John Spargo kept the plank in the first mentioned plank and it was decided not to urge compulsory insurance.

RAILROAD PURCHASES WILL TOTAL LARGE SUM

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Mr. McAdoo also announced that an advisory committee of three railroad executives, one from the north, one from the west and another from the south will be named within a few days to assist John Skelton Williams, director of finance for the railroad administration in administering the railroad's money matters this year. This committee will pass on the financial requirements of railroads either for the renewing of maturing obligations and issuance of new securities or providing for betterments and additions.

EIGHT MEN DISCHARGED

Camp Dodge, Ia., March 7.—Eight men were ordered discharged from the National Army here today on the grounds that they are enemy agents. The men, who will be required to register under the alien enemy act, include Karovitch, John Rodosevich and Felix Seby, all of Duluth, Minn.; Tom E. Scott, Chicago; Mich. Sergeant, Tony Marko, Hastings, Minn.; and George Effenzberger, St. Paul, Minn.

VOTING MACHINE SUIT

Chicago, March 7.—Suit of the Empire Voting Machine Company to recover \$285,000, for 300 machines rejected by the city, was decided in favor of the city by Judge Landis today. The court upheld the contention that the machine could be tampered with and hence did not meet requirements of the contract. Appeal was taken by the company.

MEAT PACKERS' WAGE ARBITRATION HEARING CLOSES

**Judge Alschuler Will
Not Give Decision for
Several Weeks**

CHICAGO, March 7.—Hearings of the meat packers' wage arbitration by Federal Judge Alschuler, was concluded today. It will probably be several weeks before the arbitrator hands down his award in the case. Attorney Frank P. Walsh, representing the employees, in his closing argument said he was convinced by the testimony presented that either an actual or basic eight hour day is practicable in the packing industry. The attorney said his clients believed the packers were profiteering against the government during the war. He said that even if the wage increase asked is granted the total for the working year would still be \$200 less for common labor than the sum fixed for the support of a family of five by the yearly health budget compiled by economists and introduced as evidence at the hearing. In concluding his address attorney Walsh said:

"We must take care of the workmen at the stock yards as well as the hogs. I am so confident that an eight hour day is practicable in the meat packing industry that after a trial of six months if it proves a failure I would deem it my duty to all concerned to demand a readjustment of the dispute by this arbitrator."

One hundred and fifty thousand men and women employed in the packing industry by packers in Chicago, Omaha, Kansas City, Sioux City, St. Joseph, Denver, East St. Louis and Oklahoma City will be affected by the award of the arbitrator. The questions submitted to the arbitrator for decision are to be effective during the war and are:

"Adoption of the basic eight hour day, with time and a half for overtime and double pay for Sundays and holidays; employees to be given 20 minutes for lunch with pay where three eight hour days are worked; wages to be increased \$1 a day for all employees on an hourly rate and a corresponding increase for piece workers; equal pay for men and women employees performing the same work. In bringing the proceedings to an end Judge Alschuler said: "Bordered as I am by the ordinary limitations common to humanity, it would indeed be bordering on the miraculous if my pronouncement herein should approximate exact justice to all concerned. But regardless of what I may conclude, this meeting has already achieved great benefit in bringing together these essential inter-dependent elements of the industry, and the frank open public exchange of views."

"If in the great basic industry of our democracy of inhumanity resources there is manifested a unity of purpose and co-operation between employer and employee so hearty and cordial as to leave no discordant note to give cheer to the enemies of democracy or to strike terror in its defenders lest perchance essential supplies shall fail, our strength at home will be augmented and confidence, that right arm of success will be assured and sustained in those in whom we hopefully, practically and confidentially rely to win for all time the world's freedom."

HUGE ICEBERG IN NEW YORK HARBOR

NEW YORK, March 7.—A great mass of ice estimated to be 500 by 1,000 feet in area and four feet under water, and officially designated by the harbor police as an iceberg, was given a wide berth by tugboats and other craft in North River early today. The iceberg was first sighted by the pilot of a Fort Lee ferry, who notified the police and soon patrol boats were out in an attempt to nose the huge mass into the shore. Unsuccessful in their efforts to salvage the berg, the police boats formed an advance guard and warned vessels of the monster's approach.

Fifteen minutes after its discovery the ice mass crashed into an end of it and further down the river it narrowly missed colliding with a naval training vessel.

5,000 RED CROSS NURSES WANTED

WASHINGTON, March 7.—A call for 5,000 nurses between now and June 1, for service in military hospitals at home and abroad, has been made upon the Red Cross by Surgeon-General Gorgas of the army. Nearly 7,000 nurses already have been supplied by the Red Cross but need for more grows imperative daily. Of the eighty or ninety thousand registered nurses in the United States, General Gorgas estimates that approximately 20,000 will be needed for service in army hospitals this year.

Miss Jane J. Delano, Red Cross director of nursing today issued an appeal to the country's nurses to volunteer.

ED WALSH WILL GO SOUTH WITH BROWNS

St. Louis, March 7.—Ed Walsh, veteran pitcher who was with the Boston Nationals last season was asked today by Fiedler Jones, manager of the St. Louis Americans to accompany the club south for spring training. Jones expects to use Walsh as an instructor for his pitchers, within a few days.

War News Summarized

In spite of the fact that a formal treaty of peace has been signed by the central powers and the Bolshevik government of Russia, fighting continues at various points along the eastern front. That Germany considers the convention she forced Lenin and Trotsky to sign as a "scrap of paper" is evidenced by the announcement that the Teutons have reached Jamburg, a town 68 miles from Petrograd. The report of the subsequent partial retirement of the Germans does not lend encouragement to the belief that further invasion of Russia has been abandoned.

The text of the peace treaty signed by Rumania serves, too, to show that the central powers are loathe to forego any conquests they may make in Russia. One of the clauses of the Rumanian treaty bound that country to assist in the transport of Teuton forces thru Moldavia and Bessarabia on their way to Odessa, the "granary of Russia."

Not only are the Teutons advancing against the demoralized Slavs, but the Turks also are aggressive in Asia Minor. Reports state that the Ottoman troops are operating near Trebizond on the southern shore of the Black Sea.

Germany has negotiated a peace treaty with the republic of Finland by which the latter agrees not to cede any territory or grant territorial rights without the consent of Germany which, in consideration for this concession, covenants to exert her influence to secure recognition of the Finnish government from other nations. All claims for war costs or damages are waived, and the Aland Islands will be evacuated by the Finnish troops and will not again be fortified. A commercial treaty will be negotiated at once.

Coincident with the continued invasion of Russia by the Teutons the Bolshevik authorities have announced that they will not permit the revolution to be defeated and have expressed the determination to continue fighting a holy war, even if they are forced back to the Ural mountains.

American Ambassador David R. Francis has issued a statement at Volga warning the Russians that a German victory means the return of monarchial conditions and advising them not to ratify the treaty signed by Lenin and Trotsky. The congress of the soldiers and workmen's council meeting at Moscow will probably decide on the issue of peace or continued war. Conditions of the old regime are reported to have been restored in German-occupied territory.

Continued trench raiding operations along the French front are reported in official statements. In one of these an American colonel captured a German lieutenant. The American troops in the Chemin des Dames and Lorraine sectors are not as yet in full charge of the positions assigned to them but are training with French soldiers. The position north of Toul is the only one placed in control of the Americans.

The Germans report the capture of many allied soldiers in raids and say that the artillery fighting is growing in intensity at various points. They also lay claim to successes in aerial fighting, bringing down nineteen airplanes and two captive balloons. Andrew Bonar Law, chancellor of the British exchequer, addressing the house spoke of the financial situation as well as the military position on the French and Macedonian fronts. Mr. Bonar Law maintained that the entente allies still retain their superiority in man power in France, in spite of the movement of German troops from Russia, but said that this advantage might not be permanent. He also referred to the danger of a German attack in Macedonia but added that a terrible price would be exacted for every yard gained by the Teutons.

There is no further news of Japanese intervention in Siberia. If such a movement had been started, however, it is probable that little or nothing would be announced by the Japanese where the curtain of the censorship was drawn much closer early in the week.

ORGANIZING CHILDREN FOR GARDEN WORK

WASHINGTON, March 7.—With formation of the "United States garden," with membership of five million children and having for its purpose the supplying of the family of each member with vegetables, small fruits and eggs during the summer and fall, was announced today by the department of the interior. The department is organizing the children in cities, towns, villages and suburban homes while the department of agriculture is doing the same work with the children of the farming districts. The campaign will be marked by competitions, and honors, prizes and distinctions will be given the winners.

BODIE GOES TO NEW YORK

New York, March 7.—The New York American League baseball club completed a triangular deal today which added Frank (Ping) Bodie to the team as an outfielder. Bodie was obtained from the Philadelphia Athletics in exchange for George Burns, first baseman of the Detroit Americans, whom the local club purchased in cash in order to put the deal thru.

ENGINES WILL BE TURNED OVER TO GOVERNMENT

Dunkirk, N. Y., March 7.—Engines built at the Brooks plant of the American Locomotive Company for the Russian government will be turned over to American railroads, it was said today. The work of changing details of construction has been completed and the first of the engines will be put into service within a few days.

THE WAR FINANCE CORPORATION BILL PASSED BY SENATE

**Provides for a Sum of
\$4,500,000,000 to Aid
War Industry**

WASHINGTON, March 7.—The administration bill to create a war finance corporation with a fund of \$4,500,000,000 to aid war industry was passed by the senate late today and now goes to the house.

The vote was 74 to 3. Senators Harding of Ohio and Sherman of Illinois, Republican and Hardwick of Georgia, voting against the measure. Opposition to the measure dwindled after various important amendments had been made in the original draft during a fortnight's consideration. The house ways and means committee already has prepared a report on the bill and its consideration in the house will begin next week. Expedition is strongly urged by the administration because of the measure's effect on general finance and especially the third Liberty loan in April.

Creation of the war finance corporation, to be managed by Secretary McAdoo and four directors, appointed by the president and subject to senate confirmation with capital of \$500,000,000 and authority to issue bonds up to \$4,000,000,000 is provided for in the bill.

The corporation's directors would be authorized to make advances, generally thru the federal reserve banking systems to banks, trust companies, savings banks, fire and life insurance companies and to make director loans to railroads and public utility corporations and to doing business contributory to the war.

Instead of a plan for compulsory licensing of security issues of \$100,000 and more, the senate, after vigorous opposition to the original scheme substituted a system of voluntary licensing thru a capital issue committee of five officials, including three members of the federal reserve board with advisory powers only. Late today the senate adopted 37 to 35 an amendment by Senator Owen prescribing that his committee shall be appointed by the president and confirmed by the senate instead of by the federal reserve board with Secretary McAdoo's approval.

The life of the corporation is not specifically limited in the bill, but it is provided that final liquidation of its assets shall begin six months after peace is declared.

SUBS DESTROYED FASTER THAN THEY ARE BUILT

WASHINGTON, March 7.—More submarines were destroyed by the allies and American naval forces in December, than Germany was able to build during that month, according to information reaching Washington. This fact developed today in discussions of the statement made to parliament yesterday by Sir Eric C. Geddes, first lord of the British admiralty, that the submarines were being checked.

Whether succeeding months have shown a net loss in German submarines is not known here. It is believed, however, that the anti-submarine campaign has proved so effective that increased efforts this spring will see a steady decrease in the number of U-boats available to prey on allied and American shipping.

What officials know of plans for pressing home the attack with increasing vigor, explains the feeling of optimism that now prevails in official circles despite continued heavy drains on ship tonnage thru the U-boats.

American naval officials appear to be satisfied that the weapons with which they expect to crush finally the submarine menace are forthcoming.

Vice Admiral Sims' destroyer forces, have constituted only the advance guard of what the American navy plans to furnish for the fight. Even with that limited aid the allies have held the enemy and are now destroying one out of every four or five German U-boats that put to sea. Now America's real contribution to the naval warfare is about to be felt.

FIVE MILE DRY ZONES EFFECTIVE MONDAY

WASHINGTON, March 7.—In announcing today that the order creating five mile dry zones around the naval academy and seven naval training points would become effective Monday, Mar. 11, unless otherwise ordered, Secy. Daniels said he had taken under advisement urgent requests from liquor interests at several of the places affected that they be given further time to move out of the zones.

Mr. Daniels will decide with the department of justice before deciding how much time shall be given liquor dealers to adjust their business so as to comply with the order. It is understood that as much as two weeks probably will be granted.

DECLARES FIRST DIVIDEND

Freeport, Ill., March 7.—Receivers for the private bank of Barber Brothers at Polo today declared a first dividend of 25 per cent. Checks amounting to about \$200,000 will be sent to the creditors next week. Bryant Barber, head of the bank, declared himself last fall.

FINAL AGREEMENT REACHED ON R. R. BILL

**Leaders Hope to Have Measure
Ready for President's Signature by
Saturday—Compromise Agreement
Adopted on Rate Fixing.**

Washington, March 7.—Final agreement on the administration bill to govern federal control of the railroads was reached today by the senate and house conferees. Leaders hoped tonight to have the measure ready for the president's signature by Saturday.

With the exception of limiting federal control to twenty one months after peace is declared and providing for the taking over of short line railroads, the bill as finally agreed upon is virtually in the form it passed the senate.

The principal dispute between the conferees was on rate fixing. Under the house draft, the president was given complete power to fix rates; while the senate left the power with the interstate commerce commission.

Failing to compose their differences the conferees today adopted a compromise agreement under which the president is authorized to initiate rates subject to review by the commission. In determining the fairness of rates the commission is required to take into consideration the fact that the carriers are being operated under unified control and that such readjustments in rates as are proposed are for the purpose of obtaining additional revenues.

The house provision bringing under federal control all the so-called short lines which either connect or compete with roads already taken over was accepted by the conferees who also inserted in the bill a provision limiting the ratio of taxation of railroad property in the various states to a rate not higher than that for the year previous to the taking over of the roads.

HUPPS FOUND NOT GUILTY OF MURDER

CLEVELAND, O., March 7.—Elmer Hupp was acquitted of the murder of Charles L. Joyce tonight, the jury returning a verdict of "not guilty."

Hupp was tried for second degree murder. He killed Joyce January 1 when he found Joyce in the Hupp home in company with his wife, Mrs. Ethel Hupp.

The jury took the case at the conclusion of Judge Kennedy's charge in which it was instructed it might return one of four verdicts—guilty of second degree murder, with a life penalty; guilty of manslaughter, with from one to twenty years; guilty of assault and battery, with six months or \$200 fine or both, or acquitted.

In closing the case for the state County Prosecutor Doerflinger flayed Hupp mercilessly.

"Every right and privilege that Elmer Hupp is now demanding from the state," he said, "he withheld from Joyce. When with pistol in hand he shot Joyce he acted as judge, jury and executioner."

Attorney W. H. Boyd made the last plea for the defendant. "Hupp is just a boy grown up," Boyd said. "From judges to farmers, all witnesses have testified as to his good character. If I had gone into my home and found the conditions Hupp discovered, I would have shot the intruder."

This afternoon a suit for \$100,000 was filed against Elmer Hupp on behalf of the parents of Charles L. Joyce, charging that when Hupp shot Joyce he deprived the aged parents of their sole means of support.

WIRELESS APPARATUS FOUND BY OFFICERS

NEW YORK, March 7.—A dismantled wireless apparatus which had not been sealed in accordance with orders issued by the government several months ago was found by officers of the army intelligence bureau who yesterday made another search of Bethel Home, the headquarters in Brooklyn of the Watch Tower Bible and Tract Society and of the International Bible Students' association. It was announced today.

Both organizations formerly were headed by "Pastor" Russell. Officers who found the wireless plant said they were met at the door of Bethel Home by a man who said he was Joseph A. Rutherford, successor to "Pastor" Russell as head of the several religious organizations. He told them the apparatus had been installed for "the amusement" of a number of the young men of the Russell sect who live at the home.

MUST MODERNIZE BUSINESS

Peoria, Ill., March 7.—Undertakers must modernize their business the same as other business and professional men, Professor A. H. Worsham, of Chicago, told members of the Illinois State Undertakers' association here today. The conference which began yesterday, closes this evening.

WILL DEVOTE ALL TIME TO ARMY WORK

Camp Dodge, Ia., March 7.—Captain John L. Griffin, director of athletes at the cantonment, announced today that he would resign March 12 as athletic director at Eske University, Des Moines, in order to devote all his time to the work here.

METAL WORKERS IN CONVENTION

Springfield, Ill., March 7.—Illinois Master Sheet Metal Workers will meet here in convention April 3 and 4, it was announced today. Two hundred and fifty delegates are expected to attend.

PLENTY OF TROOPS AND SUPPLIES ARE MOVING TO FRANCE

**Shipping Board Meeting Transportation
Requirements**

WASHINGTON, March 7.—Troops and supplies for General Pershing's forces now are moving to France on schedule time, it was learned today on high authority. While figures may not be published it was stated positively that transportation requirements of the army are being met by the shipping board and the immediate situation as to ships was described as satisfactory.

Reports from the Western front are being scanned more eagerly than ever by officers here for the first signs of the 1918 campaign. It is felt strongly that the opening of major operations in what President Wilson has predicted will prove the decisive year of the great war will not be much longer delayed. So long as the ground is soft with the winter rains, it is impossible to move forward great guns and necessary transport trucks to support an advancing line. Even in Flanders, indications this year are that the ground will harden early in the spring, permitting either side to undertake the enterprises planned.

In previous years, April has seen offensive operations set in motion by the allies. For that reason officers here seem to anticipate raiding and minor assaults before the middle of next month.

To others it appears probable that no offensive will be undertaken on any considerable scale before May 1. Meanwhile during the last few days there has been less discussion of a German offensive on the western front. There are observers here who have never been convinced, Germans actually intended to attempt another drive at the channel ports or at Paris. To these officers the admitted concentration of German forces has seemed a defensive rather than an offensive step.

While much has been said both officially and unofficially of an expected German offensive nothing as to probable aggressive measures by the allied forces has come over the cables. This fact has attracted particular attention because of the reiterated official declarations that the allied line out matches the Germans in gun and man power and in view of the formation during the winter of the supreme war council designed to make the warfare more aggressive on the part of the allies and the United States.

A substantial American army already is in the trenches on the western front and Secretary Baker has indicated that there may be at least a million American troops in France during 1918.

PEACE TREATY BETWEEN FINLAND AND GERMANY

**Official Announcement of Signing of
Treaty Made in Berlin—Signed at
Noon Yesterday—Trade and Shipping
Agreements Reached.**

Amsterdam, March 7.—Official announcement was made in Berlin today of the signing of a peace treaty between Germany and Finland, and also of trade and shipping agreements and a supplementary protocol. The treaty was signed at noon today. Finland by the conditions of the treaty, agrees to cede no territory nor grant territorial rights to any foreign power without the previous consent of Germany, who undertakes to exert herself to secure the recognition of Finland's independence by all the powers.

Each party renounces compensation for war costs or damages. Negotiations will start forthwith for a trade and shipping treaty. The fortifications of the Aland Islands will be removed as speedily as possible and regulations will be adopted for the permanent non-fortification of the islands.

CHARGED WITH MURDER

MRSHALLTOWN, Ia., March 7.—Arrested at the request of the sheriff of Manhattan, Kans., on suspicion of connection with the murder of two St. Louis policemen in April, 1916, a young man claiming to be William A. Bell, is in jail here pending arrival of the Kansas sheriff. It is said Bell is suspected of being Frank Lewis, a St. Louis automobile bandit.

He denies knowledge of the murders.

WEATHER INDICATIONS AND TEMPERATURES

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| Illinois: | Fair Friday; Saturday unsettled, moderate temperature. |
| Temperatures: | |
| The current, maximum and minimum temperatures as recorded Thursday were: | |
| Jacksonville, Ill. | 42 50 19 |
| Boston | 20 24 24 |
| Buffalo | 20 26 18 |
| New York | 34 38 30 |
| New Orleans | 76 80 68 |
| Chicago | 40 41 21 |
| Detroit | 32 32 18 |
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| Minneapolis | 34 38 18 |
| Helena | 50 54 43 |
| San Francisco | 22 28 4 |
| Winnipeg | 50 54 43 |
| Jacksonville, Fla. | 70 82 66 |

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Now is the accepted time for the
use of the road drag.

Hindenberg's spring drive is not
proving a joy ride.

The daily list of casualties drives
home the fact that we are in the
war.

Napoleon took Moscow and was
sorry ever after, and the Kaiser
suffer the same fate?

The Russian council which has to
pass finally on the treaty with Ger-
many, may not be quite as ready to
accept it as were the Bolshevik
leaders.

A fuller belief in the American
cause is coming every day, and the
spirit of Americanism making the
pro-German talk very unpopular.

Our soldiers are taking their
places in the front trenches and are
taking their full share of the dan-
gers and hardships.

The Prohibition party declined to
merge the expressing a willingness
to "co-operate" with the new Na-
tional party.

A little school girl asked to write
about proceedings in congress, re-
plied: "They call the roll, ask for
reading of petitions, then they file."

The young men on the farms are
doing something to aid the govern-
ment. We still have a number of
young men about town who could
be spared for military duty.

Attention is being called to the
fact that while there are many
statues in Washington in memory
of heroes of the war of the rebellion,
there is none of the greatest of them
all—Grant.

Miss Annie Martin, of Nevada, is
a candidate for the United States
senate. Will that fact aid the suf-
frage amendment now before the
senate? Miss Martin is said to be
a brilliant young woman, and might
be an improvement on some of the
old stagers already there.

The transportation problem is be-
ing solved very rapidly—a car or
paper received by the Journal yester-
day has only been about fifty five
days on the road—ordinary time
about six days. If Mr. McAdoo could
handle all the business offered his
railroads a little more promptly he
might make enough profits to win
the war.

CONDEMN LA FOLLETTE.

The joint resolution recently ad-
opted by the Wisconsin legislature
rings true. Regarding LaFollette it
says:

"And we condemn Senator Robert
M. LaFollette and all others who
have failed to see the righteousness
of our nation's cause, who have
failed to support our government in
matters vital to the winning of the
war, and we denounce any attitude
or utterance of theirs which has tend-
ed to incite sedition among the
people of our country and to injure
Wisconsin's fair name before the free
people of the world."

STRAIGHT FROM THE FRONT.

Here is a piece of advice that
comes straight from the front. It
is a message from the men in the
trenches to the folks at home, and
has the approval of General John J.
Pershing. It was published in "The
Stars and Stripes," the paper that is
written, edited and printed by mem-
bers of the American Expeditionary
Force in France:

"Beware of the men who, no mat-
ter what his uniform, no matter
what his nationality, comes to you

with tales of Germany's invincibility,
prophecies that the war will end in
a draw, and so forth. If he is say-
ing such things on his own account
he is a German propagandist, a spy,
a paid liar, and should be reported
and punished as such. If he is re-
peating them second-hand, he is
nothing but an ass, a dupe of some
real propagandist, and he should be
reported and punished just the
same."

PAVING PLANS ABANDONED.

The action of the board of local
improvements in abandoning the
plans for the West College avenue
pavement was in line with public sen-
timent. The great majority of the
property owners on the street were
opposed to the paving at this time.
They had the good argument to pre-
sent that the government has indi-
cated that public improvements not
of an "absolutely necessary" kind
should be abandoned during the per-
iod of the war. Some other argu-
ments were also presented but no
doubt the board was influenced by
the fact that the property owners in
such large majority voiced opposi-
tion to present paving plans. The
board members desired to listen to
"the voice of the people" and have
taken the right course in setting
aside their own personal views in the
matter and acceding to the earnest
request of property owners.

It was consistent also to take like
action with reference to the proposed
extension of the West State street
pavement and no doubt other paving
plans for this year will be aban-
doned.

CAN'T ATTACK U-BOATS AT SUBMARINE BASES.

Why not go after the submarines
at their bases? Why not raid Hel-
goland and Zebruge?

These are the questions thousands
of people all over the world have
asked.

The submarine menace has not
been ended. Day after day its dead-
ly work goes on. But raids on sub-
marine bases are not feasible. This
is the sober and final verdict in of-
ficial quarters.

"It must not be supposed," said a
high official, "that we have over-
looked that phase of the problem.
Two separate reports have been
made by the best men at the dis-
posal of the war and navy depart-
ments. They have made investiga-
tions on the ground, and have closely
studied every phase of the subject.
They have held exhaustive confer-
ences with the British and French
authorities.

"The conclusion reached by every-
body is that it would be suicide, ab-
solutely nothing short of suicide, to
attempt to raid the submarine bases.

"These bases are protected by in-
tricate and extensive mine fields,
added to which are powerful and
elaborate shore batteries.

"Every navy man knows at what
a disadvantage any floating craft is
in an attack on a harbor where the
enemy's guns are fixed on cement
emplacements with every range care-
fully calculated before hand and
plotted on the charts, while the at-
tacking party must fire with a gun
which rolls with the movement of
the ship and necessarily cannot op-
erate with the accuracy or over the
long range which the land guns can.
Beside which it must be remember-
ed these land fortifications and
mines are merely background for de-
fensive craft, destroyers, cruisers and
battleships, make these harbors
bases.

"We are using and shall use all
means for controlling the subma-
rine: surface destroyers, detectors,
depth bombs and convoys. And we
are still working on other weapons
with which to combat the menace.
But any invading force would be
merely cut to pieces and the men
destroyed before they could begin to
effect a landing. This is the verdict
of all who have reported."

Rippling Rhymes By WALT MASON

Wartime Smiles.

Now comrade, more than ever,
when the war goes on a pace, it
should be your endeavor to wear a
cheerful face; don't cast wet blankets
over us; there are enough to bore
us with their depressing chorus,
when grief is a disgrace. We hear
enough forecasting disaster, as we
go; we hear enough dog-eating of
everything below; we hear enough
of sighing, we see enough of crying,
without another trying to hand out
slabs of woe. Don't labor to dis-
hearten the delegates you meet; but
show with courage Spartan, a
smile serene and sweet; we're weary
of the fellow who, with his streak
of yellow, can only beef and bellow,
and show his frigid feet. One thing
is true as blazes, and always has
been true; a lot of grouchy phrases
won't make things good as new;
should we strike ugly sailing, and
see our plans go trailing, a lot of
tears and wailing won't makes the
boys less blue. One thing is true as
thunder, and always has been so: if
we would trample under a fierce and
deadly foe, we need high hearts,
undaunted; and with us is not
wanted the man who's always floun-
ted the condor wings of woe. So dry
your tears disgustin', and let our
soldiers feel that you have perfect
trust in their courage and their
steel; how they can fight, on hearing
that we instead of cheering, are
doubting, weeping, fearing and mak-
ing doleful spiel?

THIS DATE IN HISTORY

March 8, 1858—Carthage, Illinois,
Republican meeting at Carthage
of those opposed to the Kansas-
Nebraska Bill. Thomas Gregg of
Warshaw appointed chairman and
George W. Batchelder of Carthage
secretary. Pending the ques-
ion of adopting resolutions Hon. H. O.
Browning of Quincy addressed the
meeting with more than his usual
eloquence.

Use the Journal Want Ads. They
bring results.

SERGT. BOLTON WRITES FROM CAMP FUNSTON

Jacksonville Soldier Enthusiastic
About Radio Service But Antici-
pates Visit Home With Great
Pleasure—Enlisted Last June.

Fred Bolton, who is in the radio
service of the U. S. army and located
at Camp Funston, has written the
following letter to his relatives here.
Sergt. Bolton enlisted in Chicago
last June, giving up his position in
the engineering department of the
Western Electric Co. Since last
August he has been located at Camp
Funston. It is quite possible that the
troops with whom he is serving will
be sent to France before many days.
This Jacksonville soldier is antici-
pating an early visit to his home.
Sergt. Bolton writes in the follow-
ing interesting vein:

Camp Funston, March 4.

Dear Mother:

Won't write much of a letter to-
night for if nothing happens to pre-
vent I will be home the early part
of next week. The 11, 12 or 13th.
I am tickled to death about it and
look forward to the visit for home
and folks have never looked so
good to me before, and second a lit-
tle liberty certainly is to be ap-
preciated and I can stick my feet under
mother's table and sleep between
some regular sheets and I won't be
bothered by any bugs but would
like to hire a man to blow a bugle
every morning at 5:45 a. m., wake
up then throw a shoe at him and
turn over to go back to sleep.

I did not think I would say any-
thing to you folks about it because I
thought something might come
up to prevent my leaving here and
the disappointment would be great
for us all. There are troop trains
leaving here everyday and a fellow
can never tell when his turn comes.
It may come when he least expects
it.

I may telegraph you from K. C.
the day I plan for my arrival but
I won't promise this as my time be-
tween trains is limited.

I sure am glad I got my leave and
can see you all again, it seems an
awful long time since I was home I
worked hard enough to get the pass
but the captain gave me a very good
recommendation to the major I saw
it written on my letter to him asking
for leave. It read: "Recommended
for approval on account of man's
excellent record," and I got it.

I must stop now and will see you
all soon, I hope.

Let Lucille to arrange for some
holidays, if she can.

Love to all,
Fred.

SMILEAGE BOOKS NOW SHOWN HERE

The first "Smileage Books" offer-
ed for sale in Jacksonville were re-
ceived yesterday by the Kresge store.
"Smileage Books" contain coupons
of admission to military entertain-
ments at Liberty theatres at the
various soldiers' camps. There are
theatres at all of the thirty-two big
army camps where high class per-
formances are staged. The admis-
sion to these entertainments is never
more than five of these 5-cent cou-
pons and in most cases the admission
is less than 5 cents. The "Smileage
Books" containing the coupons or
camp theatre passes come in two
sizes. One of them contains twenty
5-cent coupons and costs \$1 and the
other size contains one hundred
5-cent coupons and costs \$5. Thou-
sands of the soldiers in various camps
have received these "Smileage
Books" from their friends at home
and without exception the gifts have
been appreciated.

EXHIBIT OF REMADE GARMENTS

An interesting exhibit of remade
garments for children is to be seen
in the west window at the Red Cross
shop. The purpose of the exhibit is
to show what successful work can
be done in the remaking of gar-
ments. Mrs. W. T. Wilson, repre-
senting the committee, is in charge
of the display, which presents a great
variety of useful garments. The
work is designed particularly for the
benefit of refugee children in France.

MAN FOR SPECIAL ARMY WORK WANTED TODAY

The local board of Morgan county
yesterday received a telegraphic in-
quiry as to whether a man can be
furnished by enlistment for special
work as laborer at Ft. Oglethorpe.
Ga. A special call was issued for
350 men and one was assigned to
the local board. Any man in class 1
A who is willing to take this desir-
able position in the ordnance depart-
ment should report to the board to-
day. If no one enlists it will be nec-
essary to draft some man for the work.

HERE FROM CAMP LOGAN

Sergeant Albin Molohon is here
from Camp Logan for a few hours'
visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs.
H. A. Molohon on Webster avenue.
He is now in the service with head-
quarters train No. 108 at Camp Lo-
gan and like other Jacksonville sol-
diers, is enthusiastic about army life
and his splendid appearance is the
best evidence that the army training
is a physical benefit. Sergeant Mol-
ohon wears the insignia of an expert
rifleman.

APPEARED BEFORE WOMAN'S CLUB

Miss Clara Catherine Moore of the
Woman's College played two groups
of violin numbers before the Vir-
ginia Woman's club Thursday af-
ternoon. She was accompanied by
Miss Hazel Belle Long of this city.
The occasion was the annual art
program of the Virginia Woman's
club. Mrs. Howard Wilson of Virde-
gave an interesting talk on Ameri-
can Artists which was supplemented
with stereopticon views. The meet-
ing was held at the home of Mrs.
William Goodall. Following the
program refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy B. Potter have
changed their residence from Park
street to the Brock property in
Woodland Place.

Local Food Price Bulletin

(Approved By Food Administration)

The following prices for foodstuffs in Jacksonville have been approved
by the food administration. The prices are given which the retailer pays
and which the consumer should pay:

| Articles | Retailer Pays | Consumer Should Pay |
|-----------------------------|------------------|---------------------|
| Bread, 1 pound | 8c | 9c to 10c |
| Bread, 1 1/2 pounds | 12c | 14c to 15c |
| Beans, navy | 15c to 16c | 18c to 20c |
| Beans, lima | 15c to 16c | 18c to 20c |
| Butter, creamery | 47c to 48c | 51c to 54c |
| Butterine | 28c to 30 1/2c | 32c to 35c |
| American cheese, whole | 27c to 31c | 30c to 34c |
| American cheese, cut | 27c to 31c | 34c to 43c |
| Eggs | 27c to 28c | 30c to 33c |
| Flour, 5 barrel | \$1.38 to \$1.48 | \$1.46 to \$1.63 |
| Flour, 5 pounds bulk | 29c to 30c | 32c to 35c |
| Flour, entire wheat, graham | 25c to 30c | 30c to 35c |
| Hominy | 5 1/2c to 6c | 7c to 8c |
| Lard | 28 1/2c to 29c | 31c to 36c |
| Lard compound | 24c to 26c | 26c to 32c |
| Corn meal, 5 pound bag | 25c to 30c | 30c to 35c |

Under the food administration's latest order retailers must sell and consumers must buy with each pound of white flour an equal amount of some substitute. Customers have choice of cornmeal, corn starch, corn flour, hominy, corn puffs, barley flour, rice flour, oatmeal, rolled oats, buckwheat flour, soy bean flour and feterita flour and meal. Rye flour is not consid-
ered a substitute for wheat flour.

| Articles | Retailer Pays | Consumer Should Pay |
|--|------------------|---------------------|
| Bacon, 4 to 6 pounds, whole piece | 42c to 46c | 45c to 50c |
| Bacon, 8 to 10 pounds, whole | 38c to 49c | 41c to 45c |
| Whole hams | 28c to 32c | 31c to 37c |
| Milk, large | 12c to 12 1/2c | 14c to 15c |
| Milk, condensed | 18c to 19c | 20c to 23c |
| Corn syrup, dark, 10 pound cans | 62c to 65c | 74c to 80c |
| Corn syrup, dark, 5 pound cans | 33c to 35c | 40c to 44c |
| Corn syrup, dark, 1 1/2 pound cans | 11c to 12c | 14c to 15c |
| Corn syrup, white, 10 pound cans | 70c to 75c | 84c to 90c |
| Corn syrup, white, 5 pound cans | 37c to 38c | 45c to 48c |
| Corn syrup, white, 1 1/2 pound cans | 12c to 13c | 14c to 16c |
| Potatoes, northern, original bags, 100 lbs | \$1.75 to \$2.00 | \$2.00 to \$2.25 |
| Prunes, 40-50 | 13c to 14c | 16c to 18c |
| Prunes, 60-70 | 12c to 13c | 15c to 17c |
| Rice | 9c to 11c | 11c to 15c |
| Salmon, Red Alaska, dozen | \$2.80 to \$3.00 | 27c to 33c |
| Sugar | \$7.98 1/2 @ 100 | 8 1/2c to 9c |

EXEMPTION BOARD

ISSUES ANOTHER CALL

Men Have Been Called for Examina-
tion Next Monday.

The following Class One men have
been called for examination by the
local exemption board and will be
tested physically next Monday morn-
ing by the medical staff of the board:
Lincoln W. Smith, Waverly.
Chester A. Ferreira, Jacksonville
Route 4.

Robert S. Gibson, Franklin.
Felt C. Hembrough, 1603 South
Main street.

Pick E. S. Brewer, Drumright,
Okla.

Grover Haven, 328 West Morgan
street.

Leo J. Lockhart, Jacksonville.
Fred W. Kohrs, Franklin route 3.

Joseph H. Coverly, 706 South Clay
avenue.

Hollie P. Mayes, Jacksonville route
5.

Earl E. Smith, Chaplin, route 1.
William Markoe Barr, 1209 West
State street.

Lawrence T. Oxley, Franklin
Route 1.

George W. Loken, 1042 Grove
street.

Edward A. Duvendack, Meredosia,
Route 1.

William Hauser, Concord.
Lee Patrick Flynn, Jacksonville,
Route 2.

Raymond Hogan, 304 East State
street.

Earl F. Smith, 610 South Mauvais-
terre St.

Robert M. Cooper, Franklin, route
1.

Arthur Grant Corbin, 417 Marion
street.

Carl E. Cooper, Litterberry.
Lloyd A. Schroll, Kingston Mines,
Ill.

Murry T. Martin, Jacksonville,
Route 4.

John T. Garvin, Murrayville.
Oscar J. Thiebaud, Blackwell,
Okla.

Adam M. Willis, Litterberry.
Salvatore Russo, Jacksonville.

Lawrence E. Reynolds, Waverly.
Francis Monroe Williams, Anna.

Russel Gooch, 224 E. Madison St.
Amel E. McDaniel, Chaplin.

Leonard F. Floyd, Meredosia.
Louis A. Cain, 233 East College
avenue.

Leroy Aubrey Sowers, Knoblick,
Ky.

Leo T. Lahey, Litterberry.
Daniel Allen Ballard, Meredosia.

Edward H. Rausch, Meredosia.
Route 1.

Ivan A. Ingram, 326 Clay avenue.
George B. Brown, Concord.

John L. Whipple, 635 East State
street.

Adam David Ehrigott, 632 South
Church street.

Edgar Milton Chando, Franklin,
Route 2.

Norman Jones Woolsey, 328 South
Church street.

William M. Berry, Waverly.
Eugene D. Scott, Detroit.

Harry F. Sentney, Chaplin.
Harlow Winner, Jacksonville route
1.

Elmer J. Haynes, Franklin route
2.

Hardin Bell, Pisgah.
H. Wade Roach, Litterberry.

**NEW GOODS ARRIVING
DAILY IN ALL DEPART-
MENTS, AT HERMAN'S.**

TO VISIT SON HERE.

J. J. Sommers of Vandalla, Mo.,
will come to Jacksonville today to
visit his son at Passavant hospital.
Saturday he will leave for his home,
accompanied by Mrs. Sommers who
has been here for several weeks to
be with her son. Mrs. Sommers while
here contracted a case of erysipelas
and has since been under the care
of Mrs. Catherine Koenig.

G. A. R. ATTENTION.

Members of Matt Starr Post are
requested to meet at 829 W. State
St. at 10 o'clock this morning to
attend the funeral of the late
Comrade George W. Moore.

J. M. Swales,
Commander.

C. E. McDougall,
Adjutant.

FINLEY HELD FOR JENKINS SHOOTING

Aftermath of Shooting Affray That
Occurred Early Thursday Morn-
ing—Jenkins at Home Sanitarium

Oswald Jenkins is a patient at the
Home sanitarium and Howard Fin-
ley is in jail under \$500 bond as the
result of a shooting affray which oc-
curred at Finley's home on North
Sandy street early Thursday morn-
ing. Both parties are colored. Brief
mention of the affair was made in
Thursday morning's Journal.

The shooting occurred after a
night of revelry and several people
were present. At the sanitarium
just after the shooting Jenkins told
Officer Moore he did not know who
shot him. However, Mrs. Lillie
Johnson who was at the Finley re-
sidence told Officer Moore that Finley
fired the shot.

The bullet struck Jenkins in the
right side of the abdomen just below
the appendix and an X-Ray examina-
tion showed the bullet lodged in the
muscles of the back. It is not
thought advisable to attempt its re-
moval. Jenkins was resting easy
Thursday but his condition may
change for the worse at any time.

After the shooting Finley disap-
peared for a short time but later
went to the police station and gave
himself up. He told the officers that
Jenkins drew a knife and that he
shot in self defense. Others in the
party said they did not see any knife
in Jenkins' possession before the
shooting.

Finley was before Justice Coons
Thursday and was placed under
bond in the sum of \$500 and was
committed to jail. He has retained
J. Marshall Miller as his attorney.

SEED POTATOES

Farmers wanting first class
Red River Early Ohio seed po-
tatoes free from frost and
ready to grow, will find them
at Miller Brothers.

FREIGHT CARS ROBBED

Several freight cars on the
Wabash road were broken open by
robbers some time Wednesday
night or Thursday morning. The
cars contained general merchandise
and a quantity was taken.
Special Agent Travers of the
Wabash was here Thursday investi-
gating the robbery. He stated that
he had a good line on the thieves
and hoped to be able to land them
soon. He is also investigating the
theft of coal from Wabash cars.

**Sigma Pi-Phi Alpha debate
Today, March 8th. I. C. Chap-
el, 8 o'clock. Adm. 25c.**

Amos Vieira of the northeast part
of the county was a city visitor yester-
day.

SCOTT'S THEATRE'S

**TODAY ONLY
Art drama Feature
THE LAW THAT FAILED**

featuring
ALMA HANLON
The Star with John Mason
in "The Libertine"

—Also—
**A TWO REEL BILLY
WEST COMEDY**
5c and 10c

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CITY AND COUNTY

Jacob Hoover was a city arrival from Chapin yesterday.

A. A. Chambers of Franklin was a traveler to the city yesterday.

O. J. Coon was down to the city from Havana yesterday.

Charles Taylor of Chapin was a caller on city friends yesterday.

Merle Bedingfield of Concord was among the city arrivals yesterday.

William Rexroat was a city arrival from Arenzville yesterday.

Edward Rea helped represent Murrayville in the city yesterday.

Do You Want a
WRIST
WATCHfor a
SOLDIERor a
LADYYou Will Find What
You Need

-at-

Russell & Thompson

Jewelers

The Russell & Lyon Store

Ross Seymour of Franklin rode to the city in his Buick car yesterday.

Albert Crum was down to the city from Literberry yesterday.

Mrs. James Cunningham was a city arrival from Barnett yesterday.

Mrs. Clark Taylor of Bluffs made the city a visit yesterday.

Ross Seymour rode from Franklin to town in his Buick car yesterday.

James Gaddis was a city arrival from Concord yesterday.

John Flynn was up to the city from Clemens station yesterday.

George Summers helped represent Manchester in the city yesterday.

Bert Spaenhower was a city arrival from Woodson yesterday.

Samuel Camm was up to the city from Franklin yesterday.

J. D. Hembrough of Asbury called on city people yesterday.

Miss Nancy O'Donnell was a city shopper from Winchester yesterday.

Charles Watts helped represent Franklin in the city yesterday.

P. J. Crotty was a city caller from Woodson yesterday.

Henry Strawn of Strawn's Crossing was a city arrival yesterday.

John Wilson helped represent Durbin in the city yesterday.

James Hanrahan of New Berlin was a traveler to the city yesterday.

Howard Henry was up to the city from Woodson yesterday.

Milton Seymour of Franklin rode to town in his Buick car yesterday.

William Feidy of Springfield was a traveler to the city yesterday.

J. J. Bull was a city caller from Franklin yesterday.

Howard Henry was a city caller from Woodson yesterday.

Charles Shuff was a city pilgrim from New Berlin yesterday.

Frank Green was down to the city from Strawn's Crossing yesterday.

John Korte of Merritt was a caller with city friends yesterday.

Douglas Hurley of Grace Chapel region called in town yesterday.

John Koyne was up to the city from Murrayville yesterday.

Mrs. Eugene Doyle of Franklin was a traveler to the city yesterday.

John Wilkinson of Woodson was among the city arrivals yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hall of Easton were arrivals in the city yesterday.

Miss Hazel Anderson of Bluffs was a city shopper yesterday.

J. R. Brown of Naples was attending to affairs in town yesterday.

L. Lukeman was a city arrival from Franklin yesterday.

Carl Talbot of Chambersburg was a traveler to the city yesterday.

T. J. Lukeman made a business trip from Franklin to the city yesterday.

Mrs. L. C. Luby of New Berlin was among the visitors in the city yesterday.

Charles Ransdell was a representative of Franklin in the city yesterday.

F. C. Funk of Winchester was among the visitors in town yesterday.

Thomas Heath of Virginia was looking after his interests in the city yesterday.

A. M. Diekmann of Davenport, Iowa, visited Jacksonville friends yesterday.

Harvey Sanks of the vicinity of Waverly was a city shopper yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Bailey and children drove from Winchester to the city in their Paige car yesterday.

Henry E. Baker of Franklin was one of the arrivals in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Kloppe of Alexander were added to the list of city arrivals yesterday.

Edward Petefish was a representative of Literberry in the city yesterday.

W. E. Bedingfield of the vicinity of Concord was among the city callers yesterday.

Miss Sadie Lynch of Chapin was added to the list of city shoppers yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Caspar Luken and daughter were city arrivals from Alexander yesterday.

Fred Vieira of the northeast part of the county was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Johnson of Franklin were among the city arrivals yesterday.

J. J. Winter of Roodhouse was attending to his interests in the city yesterday.

Crum Cleary of the northeast part of the county was a city caller yesterday.

Benjamin Cully of the vicinity of Joy Prairie was among the city callers yesterday.

Mrs. J. Henry Scott of West North street has returned home after a pleasant visit in St. Louis.

Archie Bridgman of the northwest part of the county was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Robert Coates residing west of Lynnville traveled to the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wood of Pisgah were added to the list of city shoppers yesterday.

George Wheeler made a business trip from Sinclair to the city yesterday.

John Lukeman, Jr., was among the travelers from Franklin to the city yesterday.

Dr. G. W. Crum of Arenzville was added to the list of city callers yesterday.

C. E. Schulte of Beardstown was a visitor with Jacksonville people yesterday.

J. J. Doyle and family came up to the city from Winchester yesterday in their Pullman car.

Ms. Clay Davenport of Waverly was added to the list of city shoppers yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Brockhouse motored from Chapin to the city in their Ford car yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Luken were city arrivals from Alexander yesterday.

Horace Anderson of the west part of the county was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Edward Smith of Winchester had business demanding his attention in town yesterday.

Walter Bedingfield of the vicinity of Concord traveled to the city yesterday.

Edward Rea of Murrayville was attending to affairs in the city yesterday.

Zeb Bell of the northwest part of the county was transacting business in the city yesterday.

J. J. Sheppard of Murrayville precinct was a traveler to town in his Buick car yesterday.

Mrs. Charles Reid of Ebenezer Neighborhood was in town yesterday the first time since Christmas.

Charles Thies of the southwest part of the county called in town yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Hester of Riggston were added to the list of city callers yesterday.

Mrs. Frank Waggoner of Waggoner was a city shopper yesterday.

Charles Scholfield of Lynnville traveled to the city in his Maxwell car yesterday.

Mrs. Frank Harden, 955 East street, is enjoying a visit from her brother, B. Barthelmon of Kansas.

Riley Taylor of the west part of the county was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Frank Hiser of the Joy Prairie neighborhood was attending to affairs in the city yesterday.

Miss Elizebeth and Gertrude Murphy have returned from a weeks visit at their sister, Mrs. J. E. Johnson of Franklin.

Earl Kistler and family were up to the city from White Hall yesterday.

Mrs. Earl Fountain of Chapin was a city shopper yesterday.

Carl Bougere of Covington, Louisiana, is in the city enjoying his wedding trip and the hospitality of his aunt, Mrs. R. C. Reynolds of West

College avenue. He is agent for the Coons cypress silos which he is introducing.

Miss Eva Hammond has finally returned to her duties as instructor in the art department of the public schools in Springfield, Mass. She was summoned by wire, then it was recalled next day, then summoned again and again recalled but finally came the word that school would surely open as soon as she could get there and she started.

Floyd Butterfield, Floyd Owings and Fred Gustafson, all salesmen at Hopper's shoe store, failed to appear yesterday morning for duty, each one being ill. The extent of their respective maladies was not ascertained but it is hoped that nothing serious ails the young men.

Social Events

Elliott State Bank Employees and Officers Have Feast.

Last evening the officers and employees of the Elliott State bank enjoyed the hospitality of the bank at a banquet given them at the Colonial Inn. There was no set program but all present devoted themselves to having a good time. The only one absent was the president, Frank Elliott, now in California. Those present were C. A. Johnson, vice president; J. Weir Elliott, cashier; J. Allerton Palmer, assistant cashier; R. C. Reynolds, assistant cashier; L. F. Jordan, W. D. Wood, Albert Cox, J. T. Hoffman, J. T. Foley, Miss Hildegard Sibert, Miss Helen Shreve, Mrs. Glenn Skinner, Miss Elizabeth Dunavan and Richard Hopper.

Baptist Church Women Meet With Mrs. Gibbs.

Women of the First Baptist church held a quarterly tea at the home of Mrs. Emma Gibbs, City Place, Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Springer, president of the Woman's Missionary society, presided and the program began with devotionals led by Miss Massey. The first chapter of "Missionary Milestones" was read by Mrs. A. A. Todd and then some time was spent socially. During the afternoon the hostesses served refreshments. Mrs. Gibbs was assisted by Mrs. Dennis Schram, Mrs. E. O. Mayer, Mrs. Jackson, Mrs. T. O. Hardesty, Mrs. A. Rabjohn, Mrs. A. A. Todd, Misses Bowen, Hayden and Spencer.

Sinclair Country Club Met.

Members of the Sinclair Country club were entertained Wednesday afternoon by Mrs. William Richardson at her home near Sinclair. In the absence of the president Mrs. Beal, near presided and in answering roll call each member gave some item for kitchen help. A very interesting paper on Red Cross work was read by Miss Ina Swain. The reading of Mrs. R. W. Robinson touched upon Red Cross activities and the program as a whole was very beneficial. Members of the club will in the near future make a service flag to be presented to the church. Guests of the club Wednesday afternoon were Mrs. James Dolyns and Miss Tillie Richardson of Orleans and Misses Estalee and Irene Bingman. The election of officers resulted in the choice of the following:

President—Mrs. Charles Elmore.
Vice president—Mrs. McDowd.
Secretary—Mrs. William Richardson.
Treasurer—Miss Fay Hart.

Following the business session and program came a social hour during which refreshments were served. The next meeting of the club will be held with Mrs. Albert Hopper on March 20.

Young Married People Entertained.

The Young Married Peoples Class of Centenary entertained the young married people of the church at a six o'clock luncheon at the church Thursday evening. There were about thirty-five present and while the affair was informal, a number of talks were made following the banquet. Afterward games and a social hour made the evening a most pleasant one. Mr. R. E. Grossman is the teacher of the class.

DEATHS

McGowan.

Benjamin Gregory McGowan, six months old son of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin McGowan, died at the family home, 225 1-2 North Main street at 12:30 o'clock Thursday. He had been ill for the past eight weeks. His parents and one brother Robert survive. Funeral services will be held from the home this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock with burial in Jacksonville cemetery.

Gates.

M. R. Gates, well known in Jacksonville, died Thursday morning at Norbury sanitarium where he had been a patient for many months. Mr. Gates was a telegraph operator and for a number of years was in one of the local grain offices. Subsequently he went to Bloomington and there his health broke down as the result of nervous strain. All possible attention was given his case but his condition grew steadily worse.

Mr. Gates was a member of Jacksonville lodge No. 152, Knights of Pythias and was a man greatly respected by his wide circle of friends. His home was in White Hall and the remains will be sent there from the Williamson & Cody undertaking rooms.

MATRIMONIAL

Deaton-Hall.

Clyde Deaton and Miss Bernice Hall, both of White Hall, were united in marriage at the court house Thursday by Judge William E. Thomson.

BIRTH RECORD

Born, Thursday to Mr. and Mrs. Ben Cade of Murrayville a son.
Born, to Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Coe, Jr., at their home 119 East Morton avenue, a daughter. The young lady has been named Dorothy Jane.

FUNERAL OF W. E. HALE
HELD AT WINCHESTER

Services Were Largely Attended—
Baptist Church Women do Red Cross Work—Other News Notes.

Winchester, March 7.—Funeral services for the late W. E. Hale were held this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the Christian church here in charge of Rev. C. W. Casely, pastor of the Methodist church. The church was well filled with relatives and friends of the deceased. Music suitable to the occasion was rendered by a quartet composed of Mrs. Gertrude Demereth, Mrs. Ada Langford, S. G. Smith and S. O. Robison. The floral offerings, of which there were many, were kindly cared for by Mrs. Byron Hierman of Arenzville, and Miss Stella Oldfield of Asair, Miss Louise Wood of Jacksonville, and Miss Winnifred Pieper of Winchester. The pall bearers were Henry Pfenniger, Warren Kelly, James Overton, Jesse Overton, E. J. Markillie, and David Hawk. Among those in attendance at the services from a distance were Mrs. James Hale and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hale and son of Bluffs, Mrs. David Forney of Clay Center, Kans., Mr. and Mrs. Charles Howard, Glen Howard, Mrs. Mae Young, Mrs. M. H. Richards and mother of Jacksonville, Archie Hale of Chicago, George Hale of Table Grove.

Red Cross Work.

The ladies of the Baptist church spent Thursday afternoon at the Red Cross rooms to work on surgical dressings and there was also a neighborhood meeting at the home of Mrs. Grant Coultas for similar work under the auspices of Miss Lois Bean. Muslin bandages and gauze occupied most of the time and much work was accomplished at the two places. Triangle, seaties, abdominal and 4-tailed bandages were also made, and the workers will soon qualify as supervisors in this important work. Over 700 articles will be ready for shipment by the Scott County Red Cross the first of the week. Included in this shipment will be okum pads, absorbents, irrigation gauze strips, 8x4 and 9x9 compresses, and stick sponges.

News Notes.

Louis Heironymous arrived Wednesday night from Camp Zachary Taylor, on a short furlough to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Heironymous.

Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Coultas and daughter, Marinda, were St. Louis visitors today.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Watson returned today to their home in Minneapolis after a month's visit with the latter's father, C. B. Hubbard.

Mrs. Wallace Kintson and daughter Miss Helen left today for a short visit with relatives in Jacksonville.

WITH THE SICK

Mrs. Summers of Vandalia, Missouri brought her little son James Francis to the Passavant hospital, several weeks ago suffering with hip trouble and while here Mrs. Summers took erysipelas and was removed to the home of Mrs. Katie Koenig at 612 East Court street and was under her care. She has now fully recovered and will be taken to her home in Vandalia Saturday. Her little son is still a patient at Passavant Hospital and is doing nicely.

Mrs. George Muehlhausen has been called to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bolle, near Winchester, by the serious illness of her mother.

Miss Mayme Collins of near Winchester, who has been a patient at Our Savior's hospital for some days suffering from pneumonia, is reported improving.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

The funeral of the late George W. Moore will be held at the residence on West State street this morning at 10 o'clock. Interment in Diamond Grove cemetery.



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Fresh Cottage Cheese every day.
Just received a full and complete line of garden seed in bulk and package.
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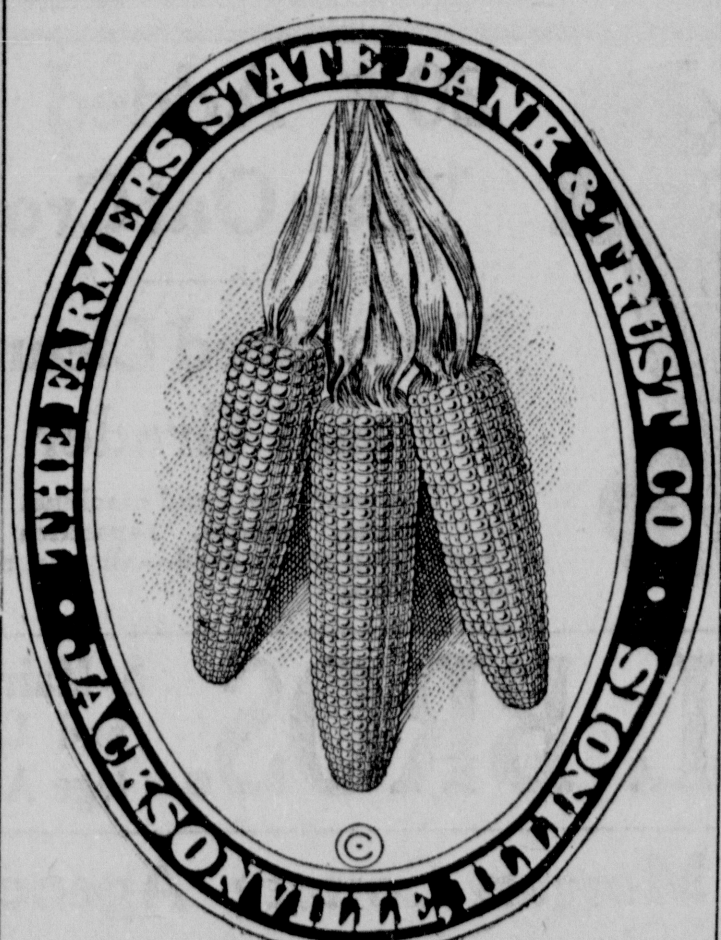
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NEW RULES FOR MEN IN NEXT DRAFT ARMY

Reclassification According to Physical Condition is Provided in Revised Instructions for Medical Advisory Boards.

Washington, March 7.—Reclassification according to physical condition of the men called in the next army draft is provided in revised instructions for medical advisory boards throughout the country. The new regulations, made public tonight required that every man summoned

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3 Sets Single Harness.
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43 Bales Timothy Hay.
22 Bales Oats Straw.
40 Bushels of Corn.
50 Bushels of Oats.
Saddle and Bridle
20 Chickens.
Household Goods.

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before the board shall be placed in one of the following four classes:

A.—Acceptable for general military service.

B.—Acceptable for general military service after being cured of remedial defect.

C.—Classification for special or limited military service in a specified capacity or occupation.

D.—Rejected and exempted from any military service.

It is the intention of the provost marshal general to provide later for the further investigation and classification of the men acceptable for limited or special service so that record may be made of the sort of work each of these men may be assigned to do without endangering his health. Under the new regulations which gained exemption of drafted men in the past now will result only in their being listed in Group B.

Such men if they choose, will be given the privilege of securing the services of their family physicians in the effort to remove the defect but if they have not availed themselves of this privilege within a specified time they will be called into military service and ordered to a cantonment base hospital, a reconstruction hospital or to a civil hospital, as may be designated by the surgeon general.

MAXIMUM RETAIL SET FOR MATZOTH

Washington, March 7.—A maximum retail price of 13 to 14 cents a pound for matzoth was set today by the food administration after an investigation of complaints that makers of the unleavened bread prescribed for the Jewish requirements by regarding exorbitant prices. If matzoth is not locally produced the cost of transportation may be added to the retail price.

ILLINOIS DISTRICT FEDERAL OFFICIALS ARE SUSPENDED

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quor vendors and persons violating the vice restrictions have been made by department agents in the last few months and recent reports indicate that conditions about most camps are good. The principal difficulties encountered in the clearing up movements were from city officials, who refused in some cases to assist federal agents in enforcing the federal regulations.

The Rock Island situation became acute several weeks ago soon after the ordinance training camp there was placed in the class of camps surrounded by liquor and vice barred zones. Investigation agents of the department of justice visited Rock Island on complaints that saloons and immoral houses continued in operation and their reports did not accord with the statement of Deputy Marshal Williams that conditions were satisfactory.

Accordingly the department took direct action to order saloons closed and vice conditions abated. District Attorney Knott of the southern Illinois district, went to Rock Island today, according to department of justice reports to request Federal Judge Humphreys to name a special United States commissioner to expedite the trial of violators of the liquor law.

HIGH TRIBUTE PAID PRESIDENT WILSON

New York, March 7.—A high tribute to President Wilson was paid by Earl Reading, Great Britain's special ambassador to the United States in an address which he made here today. Asserting that he doubted whether it was realized in Europe how signal was the moral force in this country in the prosecution of the war for liberty and "a higher moral elevation for humanity" Earl Reading declared of the president:

"No human being has the faculty of stating in better language the true nature of those ideals than your president, who speaks for you. We in Europe have learned to look to those words of his and to cherish them as representing to us the unalterable determination of America once it has commenced to war in vindication of right never to sheath the sword until it has conquered."

Earl Reading said that Great Britain had put her all into the struggle—treasure, labors, many lives—and that there could be only one result the triumph of the allied cause.

WOMAN SHOTS HUSBAND

Waterloo, Ia., March 7.—Mrs. Emalina Ralston shot and instantly killed her husband, William D. Ralston here today because he found fault with the noon day meal she had prepared and threatened to leave her for a "blonde" woman who was younger and better looking. Neighbors heard the husband was extremely cruel to her. Fellow workmen say he was always good natured. The dead man's relatives live at Decatur, Ill.

Coroner Sidney Smith, County Attorney E. J. Wenner and Sheriff D. B. Henderson have made an investigation and believe themselves justified in holding the woman under arrest. An autopsy will be held early in the morning.

MUST CONSERVE MORE WHEAT FOR ALLIES

WASHINGTON, March 7.—All exception to the food administration rule requiring the purchase of an equal amount of substitutes with each purchase of wheat flour were revoked today because of the necessity of conserving wheat for the allies.

The entire country thus is put on a parity in regard to the buying of wheat flour. Exceptions to the rule had been allowed in certain localities where substitutes are little known and hard to obtain.

Increased demands for breadstuffs from the allies were announced several days ago when the food administration abolished the meatless meal and the porkless Saturday as the consumption of wheat is closely related to the consumption of meat and it was deemed more imperative to save the grain.

Shortage in arrivals from the Argentine caused the enlarged requests on this country.

ROBBERS TAKE \$1400.

Mattoon, Ill., March 7.—Three robbers blew open the vault of the Jewett Banking company of Jewett, Ill., early today and escaped with \$1,400, mostly in currency. The force of the explosion demolished the concrete front of the bank building and wrecked the interior. Bloodhounds traced the robbers thru Toledo, Ill., and toward Mattoon where they lost the scent.

REAR-ADMIRAL PERRY DIES.

Washington, March 7.—Rear-Admiral Thomas Perry, retired of Port Deposit, Maryland, died suddenly today at Southern Pines, N. C. where he spent the winter. A message received here tonight announcing his death did not give the cause. Admiral Perry was a native of Elmira, N. Y. He was born in 1844 and graduated from the naval academy in 1866.

ROOSEVELT RETURNS HOME

Oyster Bay, N. Y., March 7.—Col. Theodore Roosevelt returned to his home on Sagamore Hill here this afternoon after having been for several weeks in New York City where he underwent operations for ear trouble. Colonel Roosevelt declared that he felt fine.

BOXING MATCH

Cleveland, O., March 7.—Jack Wolf of Cleveland won from Willie Devore of Akron, in a ten round boxing match here tonight. Wolf had the best of seven rounds, Devore had two and one was even. The men are bantams.

AMERICAN TROOPS ON LORRAINE FRONT

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN FRANCE, Wednesday, March 6. By the Associated Press.—The American troops which have taken up their position on the Lorraine front were billeted in towns back of the lines when they suddenly received orders to move to the front. They were transported in motor trucks over roads an inch deep in dust. Streams of cannons, trucks and motorcycles along the roads raised clouds of dust which stuck to the men and made their clothes, faces and equipment gray by the time they had reached the towns close to the firing line from which they marched to their position during the night.

They found themselves in a sector of Lorraine, where the ground rose in slight grades. In some cases the enemy lines were half a mile away. Altho this was the first time the Americans had been in the trenches the units, from various parts of the United States quickly adapted themselves to their new surroundings.

Due to the fact that the ground is fairly high the trenches are not continuous because that is unnecessary and they have remained fairly dry. The American patrols have been operating nightly in conjunction with the French and have worked between the lines with the greatest freedom. The artillery has been only intermittently active but usually a few shells are exchanged every hour.

SCALE OF PRICES FOR SEED CORN ADOPTED

CHICAGO, March 7.—The state seed corn administration today announced the adoption of the following scale of prices for seed corn—both those it will pay and the price at which the seed is to be sold to the farmer:

Percent Germination, Buying Selling
70-79 \$4.50 \$6.00
80-89 6.50 8.00
90-100 8.50 10.00
"We want seed and these prices are sufficient to get it if it exists in the state," the announcement reads.

PEOPLE ARE NOT STANDING BACK OF WAR

NEW YORK, March 7.—A movement to lay at rest definitely such sentiment as may have been created by a few pacifists that the people of the country are not unitedly standing back of the war has been started by the American defense society, according to a statement issued here today.

Distribution of postal cards bearing the five resolutions of the society's anti-peace platform will be begun tomorrow by members of the society which is represented by three hundred branches embracing every state in the union and also in Porto Rico and Hawaii.

The request will be made that cards be signed and mailed to President Wilson as an evidence that the signers are ready to place themselves on record in their determination to back the war to the end.

REFRIGERATOR SHIPS PLANNED

Washington, March 7.—Refrigerator ships are being planned by the shipping board to permit the exportation of more beef to the American forces.

PRESENT SUB CHASER TO NAVY

Palm Beach, Fla., March 7.—Mr. and Mrs. Edward T. Stotesbury of Philadelphia announced here tonight that they had presented the navy department with a submarine chaser specially built for their son who is an ensign in the navy.

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PERSONAL GRIEVANCE AGAINST GERMANS

PINE BLUFF, Ark., March 7.—Sergeant William Norton, who was decorated by Premier Clemenceau, of France for bravery in action had a personal grievance against the Germans, according to relatives here.

When his regiment was ordered from the Mexican border to France soon after the declaration of war, his wife lay dying in a hospital at Douglas, Ariz., and the sergeant was forced to leave her. She died soon afterward and Norton wrote to his sister-in-law, Mrs. J. H. Wilson, of this city that he would have revenge. "Don't worry about me," he wrote, "I'll get any German that tries to get me."

Norton is 50 years old and has been in the regular army 29 years.

HAZARD TESTIFIES AT MUNDAY TRIAL.

Morris, Ill., March 7.—Paul Hazard, former president of the Broadway State bank, which failed when the LaSalle Street Trust & Savings State Bank closed its doors, today testified that Charles B. Munday had helped him organize the Broadway bank and had then unloaded on his institution a lot of worthless papers. Hazard said that he knew nothing about commercial paper and was forced to rely on Munday's guarantee that the paper was good. The evidence was given at Munday's trial on charges arising from the wrecking of the LaSalle Street Bank.

Y. M. C. A. WORKERS SAFE
New York, March 7.—The war work council of the Y. M. C. A. announced today the receipt of a cable message from Moscow referring to Y. M. C. workers in Russia saying that among those arrived there safely were Raymond J. Reitzel of Sterling, Ill., Edward T. Heald, Davenport, Iowa, and L. I. Dunnington, Chicago.

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Washington, March 7.—Raw materials, parts of equipment needed to hasten production of munitions or any necessary war supplies duty on which would be payable from appropriations for the support of the army would be admitted duty free during the war under an amendment to the urgent deficiency bill to be introduced by senator Martin of Virginia, chairman of the appropriation committee.

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J. W. ARNOLD'S BIG SALE TOTALED \$25,000

RECORD CROWD IN ATTENDANCE AT SALE

Buyers for Mules and Horses Came from Wide Territory—Span Mules at \$675 Highest Sale Made—Three Auctioneers Kept Busy—Many Animals Purchased Will Go To City Markets.

The largest sale of the year, and in fact several years, was that held Thursday by J. W. Arnold at his farm home adjacent to Arnold station. The livestock sold totaled over \$25,000. The reputation that Mr. Arnold has established for offering high class livestock in great numbers was responsible for the large attendance and there was the further fact that the road was in excellent condition and the weather was ideal. Mr. Arnold has held these sales annually for a long period and his customers always buy with confidence. The auctioneers were Jerry and Jed Cox and Charles M. Strawn and the clerks were James Weir Elliott and Charles McDonald. The Willing Workers of Pisgah church

TEAMSTER'S LIFE SAVED PETERSON IS HAPPY

After everything else fails Peterson's Ointment Cures Old and Running Sores, Eczema and Piles.

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served lunch and their profits were more than \$100. There were a number of buyers from other cities present who made liberal purchases and will take the livestock to the city markets. Individual sales were recorded as follows:

Mules
Bert Spainhower, \$675.
Hanrahan & Reidy, \$495.
Hanrahan & Reidy, \$530.
Mr. Fautch, \$470.
Harry Rice, \$382.
Joseph Henderson, \$440.
Jeff Decker, \$415.
George Ruble, \$450.
George Wheeler, \$407.50.
George Reid, \$450.
Sam Currier, \$437.50.
Amos McCurley, \$352.50.
A. A. Curry, \$367.50.
Alvin Carpenter, \$337.50.
Robert Anderson, \$432.50.
F. Lairds, \$412.50.
William Sherman, \$415.
James Tribble, \$340.
Amos McCurley, \$340.
Walter Robinson, \$427.50.
Sam Currier, \$372.50.
William Sherman, \$307.50.
Chiff Davis, \$380.
Cotton Knox, \$265.
Alex Story, \$445.
Cotton Knox, \$335.
Bert Lukeman, \$407.50.
Cotton Knox, \$340.
Hanrahan & Reidy, \$372.50.
George Wood, \$397.50.
Amos McCurley, \$332.50.
Jeff Decker, \$412.50.
John Moxon, \$342.50.
Cotton Knox, \$265.
Chiff Davis, \$380.
Cotton Knox, \$265.
Hanrahan & Reidy, \$325.
Jeff Decker, \$310.
Cotton Knox, \$375.
William Richardson, \$295.
Bert Maddox, \$200.
Alvin Renoat, \$302.50.
Hanrahan & Reidy, \$265.
Amos McCurley, \$325.
Walter Robinson, single mule, \$235.
Alvin Carpenter, aged span, \$150.
Hanrahan & Reidy, single mule, \$145.
Hanrahan & Reidy, single mule, \$225.

Horses
Henry Mosely, horse, \$275.
George Shelton, team, \$532.50.

Henry Mosely, horse, \$220.
Hiram Drury, horse, \$220.
Calvin Lawson, horse, \$227.50.
William Beaumaster, horse, \$230.
Calvin Lawson, horse, \$180.
William Zahn, team, \$225.
Hiram Drury, horse, \$225.
Frank Ring, horse, \$250.
Harry Clark, team, \$400.
J. B. Corrington, team, \$342.50.
Ed Phillips, team, \$350.
Ed Reynolds, horse, \$180.
Lloyd Cox, team, \$322.50.
William Perbix, horse, \$175.
Clark Stevenson, horse, \$160.
Robert Clayton, team, \$170.
J. A. Luster, team, \$200.
Cotton Knox, horse, \$125.
James Tribble, horse, \$85.
George Caldwell, horse, \$125.
Willard Young, pony, \$40.
Dan L. Clark, horse, \$180.
Cotton Knox, horse, \$105.
Cotton Knox, horse, \$85.
John Isaac, horse, \$50.
Charles Holbrook, horse, \$27.50.
William Beaumaster, horse for \$127.50.

Cows
A. A. Curry, \$75.
Harry Tazewell, \$57.50.
A. A. Curry, \$72.
Roy Dyer, \$63.
A. A. Curry, \$67.

W. R. Lovell Held Sale
W. R. Lovell held a cleanup sale at his farm seven miles southeast of Murrayville Thursday. The sale totaled \$2,100, and all offerings brought good prices. H. E. Spencer was the auctioneer and Dave Mawson acted as clerk. The Red Cross auxiliary of Murrayville served lunch. Some of the prices and buyers are given herewith:

Cattle
Thomas Bell, cow at \$102.
George Clayton, cow at \$105.
Justus Wright, three cows at \$85 each.
Mr. Busch, five cows at an average of \$85 per head.

Horses
George Story, team of three and four years old horses, \$256.
Justus Wright, horse at \$140.
Thomas Lacey, horse at \$131.
Three hundred bales of timothy hay sold at from 95 cent to \$1 per bale.

The "Photograph Album" at Central Christian Church to-night, 8 o'clock. Admission 10c. Cocoa will be served after the entertainment.

DID YOU KNOW THAT
1.—In France the normal consumption of wheat is from 9,200,000 to 9,400,000 tons and before the war she produced 9,000,000 tons. In 1916 the crop was 5,480,000 and for 1917 about 4,000,000.

2.—There is also a shortage of vegetables in France. There is no one to raise them.

3.—They have now eaten all the available meat. 2,500,000 cattle, sheep, and hogs were seized by Germany.

4.—On top of this, France has fed millions of Belgian and French refugees.

5.—England supplied deficit needed of 2,000,000 tons of meat until February, 1917, when she was forced to stop to feed her own.

6.—Eighteen pounds of sugar are allowed per annum per person in France and eighty-five pounds of sugar per person in the United States.

7.—About 500,000 tons of sugar is used in making confectionery in the United States. If it were saved we could supply France with her allowance of sugar.

8.—One-half of the amount of money spent on candy in a year in the United States would supply Belgium with food for a year.

FOR SHERIFF.
I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Republican nomination for sheriff, subject to the primary election.

George L. Stice.

PRENTICE PEOPLE IN JUSTICE COURT.

Thursday Justice Opperman heard a case from Prentice. The charge was one of threats to kill and was made by Alta Perce against Rose Hamm and Bertha Price. The case was heard by a jury and a verdict of acquittal was returned as to Bertha Price and a verdict of guilty found as to Rose Hamm. She was placed under bond in the sum of \$100 by the court to keep the peace for six months. States Attorney Robinson appeared for the people and John M. Butler for the defendants.

EXEMPTION BOARD GETS NEW INSTRUCTIONS.

Mihler Weir, chairman of the local exemption board received new instructions Thursday relative to the induction of photographers into the aerial service. The original order asked for professional photographers while the amended, or new order, specifies that advanced amateur photographers may be accepted.

The quota for Illinois is 100 men. The board is instructed that if any draft men qualified are available that they be inducted into service not later than March 9 so that they can reach Rochester, New York on March 10.

A WORTHY PROMOTION.

Edward Keating has received word of the promotion of his son Emmett to the rank of senior lieutenant. The young man is in the navy and his ship has recently returned from a voyage to France. His record is good and his promotion will please many Jacksonville friends.

WOMAN'S CLUB MEETING.

Attention is again called to the meeting of the Woman's Club to be held Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock at Academy Hall. Piano solo by Mrs. Helen McDougall James. Address by Dr. R. E. Hieronymus of the University of Illinois on Community Betterment. All men interested in this subject are cordially invited to attend as guests of the club.

Clyde Smith was a city representative from Woodson yesterday.

An invitation to men who farm

THERE isn't any class of people who are considered more hospitable than you men on the farm.

When we invite you to come here to see our Hart Schaffner & Marx Spring clothes, we have that in mind. We want to make you feel as welcome as you do the people who come to see you.

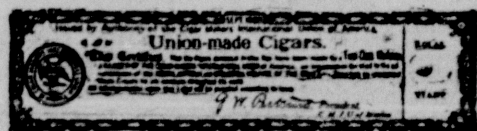
It isn't an idea to get you here just to sell you something. There's a bigger idea. We want to serve you. We earnestly believe we can save money for you on clothes and we want to show you how.

The clothes we have here are made in your interest by the greatest of all clothes makers. They're all-wool; right in style, fit and price. There are sizes, styles and patterns here for every taste and every figure.

Next time you're in town come in and see them. We're as glad to "show" the goods as we are to "sell" them.



See that This Label Is On Your Cigars



It is a guarantee that the Cigar is made under Sanitary and Healthful Conditions.

A Move for Lower Expense

On August 10th, 1917, we acquired an interest in the firm of Jolly & Co., Odd Fellows Building, East State Street. On or about March 1st this concern will occupy a portion of our store at 231 E. State. We will have here 8000 feet of floor space.

The firm of Jolly & Company will continue as an independent concern. The "Arcade" will continue also.

The two stocks under one roof will offer you the best "BARGAIN" Stock in Jacksonville. The economy of this arrangement is plain. These are WAR DAYS. Saving is and will be the slogan for some time. We are trying to do business at the lowest cost. It means a saving to us—a saving to you.

During the next ten days both stores will offer many bargains—goods that this change make it unnecessary to carry in both stocks.

231 East State **ARCADE** 231 East State
Harry R. Hart

MANCHESTER

The Eastern Star lodge held a school of instruction Wednesday under the supervision of Mrs. Callie O. Davis of El Paso, Illinois. Those attending the sessions from out of town were: Mrs. S. B. Robinson and Mrs. Justus Wright of Murrayville; Mrs. Marie Roland and Miss Lucile Knox of White Hall, and Mrs. Carrie Deatherage of Waverly. After the evening session refreshments consisting of neapolitan ice cream and macaroons were served.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Funk left on Thursday night for Fort Riley, Kansas to visit their son Glenn, who is in training there.

Miss Emily McCracken spent Thursday in Roodhouse.

Mrs. Norman Lucas and mother, Mrs. Blackburn, arrived Tuesday night from Elgin. Dr. Lucas has been here for the past several weeks. They will reside with Mrs. Blackburn at her home here.

Cunnick Andras spent the first of the week in Kansas City.

Mrs. Lois Krepel of Alton is visiting her mother, Mrs. Frank Edwards.

A. C. Barnes spent Tuesday in Riverton with Dr. C. McMahon and family.

Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Van Tuyle have removed from the Dr. W. T. Knox property here to their country home south of town.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Barnes have received word from their son Frank that he recently came from his home in Fergus Falls, Minn., to Camp Dodge, Iowa, where he will enter training for military service.

DRINKING MEN OPEN BANK ACCOUNTS

After taking the "NEAL WAY" at home in ordinary cases, or in any case at NEAL INSTITUTE, Springfield, Ill., Main 6868. "The Neal Way" has "opened" the former "House of Happiness" in tens of thousands of homes and restored the former health and prosperity of their "Lord and Master." Ask for free book and private references.

60 Neal Institutes in Principal Cities

Nature Says

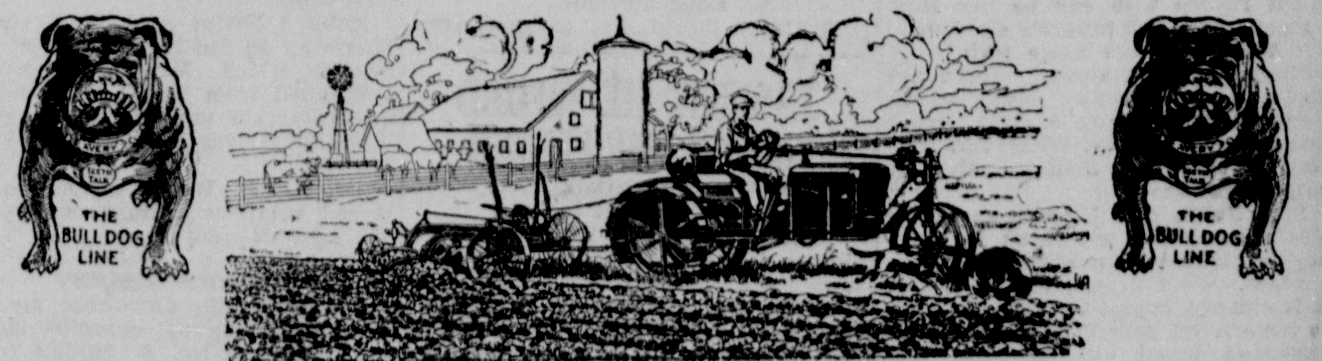
"I can remedy most ills, and help you to escape many ailments, if you give me timely aid." Naturally, Nature prefers

BEECHAM'S PILLS

Largest Sale of Any Medicine in the World. Available everywhere. In boxes 10c., 25c.



The New Baby Tractor



THIS SMALL TRACTOR

is designed for all around use on any small farm. The draw bar pull is equal to that of three 1400 pound draft horses. It will accomplish as much work in a day as four horses. It has a special hitch so you may use your old horse-drawn gang.

IT WILL PULL—

Two 12-inch plows, 6 inches deep in ordinary plowing; An 8-ft. disc harrow; A 3-section drag harrow; A 7-12 grain drill; An 8-ft. binder; A large road drag; A loaded farm wagon; A manure spreader; Or any ordinary three to four horse load.

WHY KILL THE HORSE WHEN YOU CAN USE A MOTOR? SEE OUR NEW MOTOR CULTIVATOR

Think of starting out for a day's corn plowing the old way, three horses for a two-row, or four horses for two single rows and two men. Get up early at 4 a. m., feed the horses, curry them, clean the stable, get breakfast, go out and harness the teams, take them out to water and hitch up to plow. Four to five acres per plow single and eight to nine with a two-row. The horses need a rest, especially on hot days. Quit at sundown and put up your team and get supper at 9 p. m. I have done it and I know. How do you feel? Not like going to a show, you know.

Come in and see the right way. Get up, wash, get breakfast, get on the motor cultivator and plow eighteen acres. Quit at 6 p. m. and go to town happy. We wish to show you this wonderful tool in operation. A tool that means a great deal to all the farmers, one that has proven its worth and is an admitted great success. The first one built tended sixty-five acres in 1916, and is in fine running order ready for its third year of service. It is easy to handle. It is so constructed that you can remove the cultivator gangs and attach a drag harrow, disc, roller, or corn planter.

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THICK, GLOSSY HAIR
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In a Few Moments—
Try This!

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glistens with beauty and is radiant
with life, has an incomparable soft-
ness and is fluffy and lustrous, try
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Just one application doubles the
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mediately dissolves every particle of
dandruff; you cannot have nice,
heavy, healthy hair if you have dan-
druff. This destructive scurf robs
the hair of its lustre, its strength and
its very life, and if not overcome it
produces a feverishness and itching
of the scalp; the hair roots famish,
loosen and die; then the hair falls
out fast.

If your hair has been neglected
and is thin, faded, dry, scraggy or
too oily, get a small bottle of Knowl-
ton's Danderine at any drug store
or toilet counter for a few cents; ap-
ply a little as directed and ten min-
utes after you will say this was the
best investment you ever made.

We sincerely believe, regardless of
everything else advertised, that if
you desire soft, lustrous, beautiful
hair and lots of it—no dandruff—no
itching scalp and no more falling hair
—you must use Knowlton's Dander-
ine. If eventually—why not now?
—Adv.

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plexion Vanish by Using Stuart's
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All your dreams of a beautiful, clear
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or liver-spots, you may reclaim your



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Easy and Quick Stuart's Calcium
Wafers Clears Your Skin!

heretofore of good looks. There are
thousands of people today whose
fresh, clear faces are a living proof
that Stuart's Calcium Wafers do cure
pimples and cure them to stay, in
only a few days.

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ples and similar eruptions by thor-
oughly cleansing the blood of all im-
purities. With a pure blood supply,
it is simply impossible for a pimple
to remain on your face. And the in-
vigorated blood will replace your
dead, sallow skin with the glowing
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Your self-respect demands that
you avail yourself of this remedy
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day. Make your dream of beauty
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THE DAY'S FOOD ON WHEATLESS DAYS.

The planning of meals for a wheat-
less day is a game where it is easy
to get caught off one's guard. Wake
up, women of America. Make wheat-
less, wheatless.

Breakfast.
Sliced Bananas Top Milk
Cornmeal Griddle Cakes
Corn Syrup
Coffee Milk for Children
Lunch or Supper.
Casserole of Hominy, Tomatoes and
Cheese
Stewed Prunes Scotch Fancies

Dinner.
Cold Beef Tongue
Belgian Baked Potatoes
Cranberry Jelly
Mashed Rutabaga Tapioca Pudding
Scotch Fancies.
2 cups rolled oats, 1-4 cup milk,
1-4 cup molasses, 1 1-2 tablespoon
cooking oil, 1-4 teaspoon soda, 1 tea-
spoon salt.

Grind the oats, mix with the other
materials. Roll into a thin sheet
and cut in squares. Bake 20 minutes
in a moderate oven.
Belgian Baked Potatoes.
Wash, pare and slice potatoes as
for French fried. Lay the strips in
an oiled granite pan and bake in the
oven. Salt and serve.

Tapioca Pudding.
5 tablespoons pearl tapioca, 4
cups scalded milk, 4 tablespoons In-
dian meal, 3-4 cup molasses, 3 table-
spoons cooking oil, 1 1-2 teaspoons
salt, 1 cup milk.

Soak tapioca two hours in cold
water to cover. Pour scalded milk
over Indian meal and cook in double
boiler until mixture thickens. Add
tapioca drained from water, molasses,
oil and salt; turn into oiled pudding
dish and pour over remaining milk,
but do not stir. Bake one and one-
fourth hours in a moderate oven.

The Mere Matter of Taste.
We have all heard of the woman
who liked to eat "what she'd rather."
Some there are who are still eating
white bread because "they'd rather."
But fortunately these selfish, un-
awakened unpatriotic few are daily
becoming fewer.

The shadow of Europe's shortage
has fallen over here. Their danger
is now our peril, and the instinct
of self preservation, if nothing else,
is at last bringing the "food slack-
ers" to attention.

Not one of the Allies are today eat-
ing white bread. With them not
one day in the week but every day
every week is a "Wheat saving day."

We, on the other hand, are asked
to give up the eating of white bread
only one day of every week and one
meal of every day. In place of wheat
flour we are asked to eat breads
made of part rye, barley, corn flour,
corn meal or potatoes.

In localities where barley and rye
are available in quantities, the flour
from these grains should be used
liberally. The following recipes are
for these admixtures:

Barley Bread.
1 cup liquid, 1 teaspoon salt, 2 1-2
cups white flour, 1-8 to 1-4 cake
yeast softened in 1-4 cup lukewarm
water, 1 1-8 cups barley flour.

Rye Bread.
1 cup liquid, 1 teaspoon salt, 2 1-4
cups rye flour, 1-8 to 1 1-4 cake yeast
softened in 1-4 cup lukewarm water,
2 1-4 cups white flour.

Note: The proportion of rye flour
used may be increased to 3 cups of
rye flour and 3-4 cup of white is
desired. This dough is soft and can
be made into the old-fashioned flat
loaf.

Long Process.
Scald the liquid, cool to lukewarm.

THOUGHT HE NEEDED THOUGH THE NEEDED NEW PIPES

"My stomach and intestines were
always full of gas and I often had
severe colic attacks. The pain and
soreness caused me to think I needed
a new set of pipes. Since taking
May's Wonderful Remedy all this
has disappeared and my only trou-
ble now is to make enough dough
to buy all the food I'd like to eat."
It is a simple, harmless preparation
that removes the catarrhal mucus
from the intestinal tract and allays
the inflammation which causes prac-
tically all stomach, liver and intesti-
nal ailments, including appendicitis.
One dose will convince or money re-
funded. Coover & Shreve East Side
Drug Store.—Adv.

MOTHER! GIVE CHILD "SYRUP OF FIGS" IF TONGUE IS COATED

If Cross, Feverish, Sick, Bilious,
Clean Little Liver and
Bowels

Children love this "fruit laxative,"
and nothing else cleanses the tender
stomach, liver and bowels so nicely.

A child simply will not stop play-
ing to empty its bowels, and the re-
sult is, they become tightly clogged
with waste, liver gets sluggish, stom-
ach sour, then your little one be-
comes cross, half-sick, feverish,
don't eat, sleep or act naturally,
breath is bad, system full of cold,
has sore throat, stomach-ache or
diarrhoea. Listen, Mother! See if
tongue is coated, then give a tea-
spoonful of "California Syrup of
Figs," and in a few hours all the
constipated waste, sour bile and in-
digested food passes out of the sys-
tem, and you have a well, playful
child again.

Millions of mothers give "Califor-
nia Syrup of Figs" because it is per-
fectly harmless; children love it, and
it never fails to act on the stomach,
liver and bowels.

Ask your druggist for a bottle of
"California Syrup of Figs," which
has full directions for babies, chil-
dren of all ages and for grown-ups
plainly printed on the bottle. Beware
of counterfeiters sold here. Get the
genuine, made by "California Fig
Syrup Company." Refuse any other
kind with contempt.—Adv.

add the salt, yeast and half the
flour. Beat thoroughly, cover and let
rise until very light. Then add the
remainder of the flour, knead, cover
and let rise again until double in
bulk and bake.

Short Process.
Follow the directions as given
above, but add all the flour at once.
This same method may be used for
bread in which buckwheat flour is
used. It may be substituted for 1-2
to 3-4 of the wheat flour. The buck-
wheat bread is dark and has a char-
acteristic flavor.

This year's corn crop is estimat-
ed at 3,200,000,000 bushels. This
is sufficient to furnish every family
in our land with 3 bushels of corn
meal every week.

Corn products are nourishing
foods. Corn meal has all the nu-
tritive properties of wheat flour.
Spoon bread and muffins made by
these recipes are delicious.

Spoon Corn Bread.
1 cup white corn meal, 1 cup milk,
1-2 teaspoon salt, 1 tablespoon cook-
ing oil, 1 tablespoon baking powder,
1 egg.

Mix the meal, butter and salt with
enough warm water to make a
smooth paste. Add beaten egg, milk
and baking powder. Beat thoroughly.
Pour into hot, well greased baking
dish and bake in hot oven. Serve
hot from the baking dish.

Corn Meal Muffins.
1 cup corn meal, 1 cup flour, 1-2
teaspoon salt, 1 tablespoon sugar, 2
teaspoon baking powder, 1 egg, 2
cups milk and water, 1 tablespoon
cooking oil.

Sift dry ingredients, add the milk
gradually, egg (well beaten), then
the cooking oil. Pour in oiled gen-
pans and bake in hot oven for 25
minutes.

BLUFFS

Bluffs, March 7.—Mrs. Bert Haven
who underwent a severe surgical op-
eration for the removal of the mas-
toid bone and an abscess of the brain
is able to be out again. The opera-
tion was performed by Dr. A. H.
Kennelbrew at his sanatorium in
Jacksonville, Jan. 26th, and four
weeks later she returned home and
is convalescing in a very satisfactory
manner.

Mesdames Ira Napier and Anna
Stead of Griggsville spent Tuesday
with Mrs. Margaret Van Hynning.
Miss Elizabeth Geisendorfer left
Wednesday for a ten days' visit with
friends in Pittsfield.

J. E. Likes is invoicing his stock
of goods at his general store with
view to selling same to Fred Weiss
of Neeleys. If the deal is put thru,
Mr. Weiss will remove his family
here and conduct the business along
the same line.

Short funeral services were held
at the Green cemetery at 2:30 o'clock
Wednesday for Emma Ruth Batley,
the three year old daughter of Mr.
and Mrs. George Batley who died
of scarlet fever at her home Tues-
day. Rev. E. J. Reese had charge
of the service.

Charles Bergner and family have
vacated the Carl Ritter property,
same to be occupied by his sister,
Mrs. John Pine.

Judge Funk of Winchester was a
business caller in town Wednesday.

Mrs. J. Graham entertained her
immediate family at her home Sun-
day. A very pleasant day was pass-
ed by the children and grandchild-
ren.

—YOUNGBLOOD—

Mrs. Gus Henry who has been ill
for several weeks was taken to Our
Savior's hospital in Jacksonville for
treatment.

Robert Nevius and family moved
Thursday to the farm south of Nor-
tonville which Mr. Nevius recently
purchased from John Anderson. Mr.
Anderson has moved to Nortonville.
Van Seymour has purchased a
new car.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Dalton
visited relatives in Jacksonville Sun-
day and Monday.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

I respectfully announce my candi-
dacy for highway commissioner in
Road District No. 9, subject to the
decision of the voters of said Dis-
trict at the election Tuesday, April 2.
George Wood, Sr.

THE OLD FAIRGROUND

The article by Mr. Moore on the
old fairground yesterday morning
brought to the writer's mind some
things that took place there many
years ago. The late W. C. Woodman,
John Myers, the sewing machine
agent and some other enterprising
men wanted a first class Fourth of
July so they hit on a plan that they
thought would succeed. At the
Jacksonville State Hospital at that
time they had a tame buffalo so the
promoters of the celebration ar-
ranged for a genuine buffalo hunt.
They secured the presence of some
few Indians from a mission some
where and put up flaming posters
head:

"Indians! Real Wild Indians!!"
and a large gathering resulted. The
few redskins arrived and some pon-
ies were secured and painted with
various emblems and the buffalo was
brought out but declined to be
hunted. They prodded him with
canes and did all sorts of things to
him but the buffalo hunt was a fail-
ure.

Then to add to the difficulties of
the situation the band that had been
playing a little while stopped as they
feared they wouldn't get their money
so John W. King and some others
who had good voices mounted the
judges' stand and sang some pa-
triotic songs which was the best
that could be done.

Finally the missionary accom-
panying the Indians addressed as
many of the gathering as could hear
him for the mission and the hat was
passed.

For many years afterward that
Fourth of July celebration was a
thorn in the side of Mr. Woodman,
especially, and few who had helped
him.

BURGLARY INSURANCE?
Yes, we have it. Ward's Insur-
ance Agency, 501 Ayers Bank Build-
ing.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK MARKET IN REVIEW

Butcher Stuff Lower As Result of
Heavy Runs—Decrease in Receipts
After Present Week is the Predic-
tion.

Alexander, Conover & Martin, Chi-
cago livestock merchants, in this
week's review of the market situa-
tion, give some interesting facts. The
letter indicates that country shippers
and buyers have taken a great many
cattle during the past ten days. Sharp
decreases in receipts are predicted
for a period following this week.

Receipts first three days will foot
up around 51,500, showing an in-
crease over last week of about 6,000.
The increased receipts this week was
caused by country shippers and
feeders being able to get more cars
than they have been getting the past
30 to 40 days, and to the sharp ad-
vance in the cattle market the past
two weeks. Country shippers and
buyers bought a great many cattle
during the past ten days and they
are getting here this week. We
look for a sharp decrease in receipts
after this week and the market to
fully recover this week's decline.

Butcher Stock Market.

Butcher market is closing 25 to
40c lower for the week. We had
two very large runs of cattle Monday
and Tuesday, which was too much
for the trade. However, with light
run today, market is strong, and
with moderate receipts the coming
week, we should have a much bet-
ter market. Choice cows and heifers
are still selling at 11c. Very few
rangers bringing under \$6.75. A
good active trade at the decline.
Butcher bulls poor demand, prime
50c lower. Bologna 25c lower, choice
\$8.75 to \$9.00, light \$8.00 to \$8.50.
Choice vealers \$14.25 to \$14.50.
Bulls of calves 14c. Heavy in good
demand.

Stockers and Feeders

Supply liberal. Demand good mar-
ket uneven. Good to choice kind
either light, medium or heavy sell-
ing at steady prices. Pretty good to
good medium and plain kind 15c to
20c lower. A liberal supply of 500 lb.
to 600 lbs. cattle in arrivals of fair
quality. Look for stockers and
feeders to sell higher the nearer we
approach the grass section.

Hogs.

Don't overload your hogs. Look
out for the first warm weather, and
then just bill them. Alexander, Con-
over & Martin, and we will do the
rest for you when they get here.

On receipt of 26,000 hogs today,
our market opened up on a competi-
tion of small packers, eastern ship-
pers and speculators 25c to 40c
higher than yesterday. After the
first round which was about 10
o'clock all urgent orders were filled
and the market was in the hands of
big packers, the result was a weak
finish with a big part of the advance
lost.

We are looking for a good active
market next week at about prevail-
ing prices.

Sheep and Lambs.

Lambing season will soon be here,
and we must have a big crop of
lambs, so get out your lantern and
prepare to do some night duty.
Watchfulness and care must be the
slogan from now on. A weak thin
ewe won't give any milk. Lamb
market 50 to 75c higher than one
week ago, 10 to 15c higher today, top
\$18.05, bulk \$17.50 to 17.90, feeding
and shearing lambs \$16.50 to 17.50,
cull lambs \$15.00 to 16.00. Fresh
clipped lambs \$13.50 to 14.50, fall
shorn \$15.25 to 16.25. Ewe lambs
wooled \$17.25 to 17.75. Sheep in

LEMONS BEAUTIFY!

Strain lemon juice well before
mixing and massage face,
neck, arms, hands

Here is told how to prepare an in-
expensive lemon lotion which can be
used to bring back to any skin the
sweet freshness of which it has been
robbed by trying atmospheric condi-
tions. Wind-chafe, roughness, tan
and redness are warded off and these
tell-tale lines of care or of age are
softened away.

The juice of two lemons strained
into a bottle containing three ounces
of orchard white makes a whole
quarter pint of the most remarkable
lemon skin beautifier at about the
cost one must pay for a small jar of
the ordinary cold creams. Care
should be taken to strain the lemon
juice through a fine cloth so no le-
mon pulp gets in, then this lotion will
keep fresh for months. Every wom-
an knows that lemon juice is used to
bleach and remove such blemishes
as freckles, sallowness and tan, and
is the ideal skin softener, smoothen-
er and beautifier.

Just try it. Get three ounces of
orchard white at any pharmacy and
two lemons from the grocer and
make up a quarter pint of this sweet-
ly fragrant lemon lotion and mas-
sage it daily into the face, neck,
arms and hands, and see for yourself.
—Adv.

SOUR STOMACH

Mi-o-na Puts the Stomach in Fine
Shape in Five Minutes

If your stomach is continually
kicking up a disturbance, you feel
bloated and distressed; if you belch
gas and sour food into the mouth
then you need Mi-o-na Stomach Tab-
lets.

Mi-o-na stomach tablets give in-
stant relief, of course, but they do
more; they drive out the poisonous
gases that cause fermentation of
food and thoroughly clean, renovate
and strengthen the stomach so that it
can readily digest food without arti-
ficial aid.

Mi-o-na stomach tablets are guar-
anteed to end indigestion acute or
chronic or money back. This means
that nervousness, dizziness and bil-
iousness will disappear. Druggists
everywhere and the Coover & Shreve
Drug Store sell Mi-o-na.—Adv.

good demand, but scarce, good to
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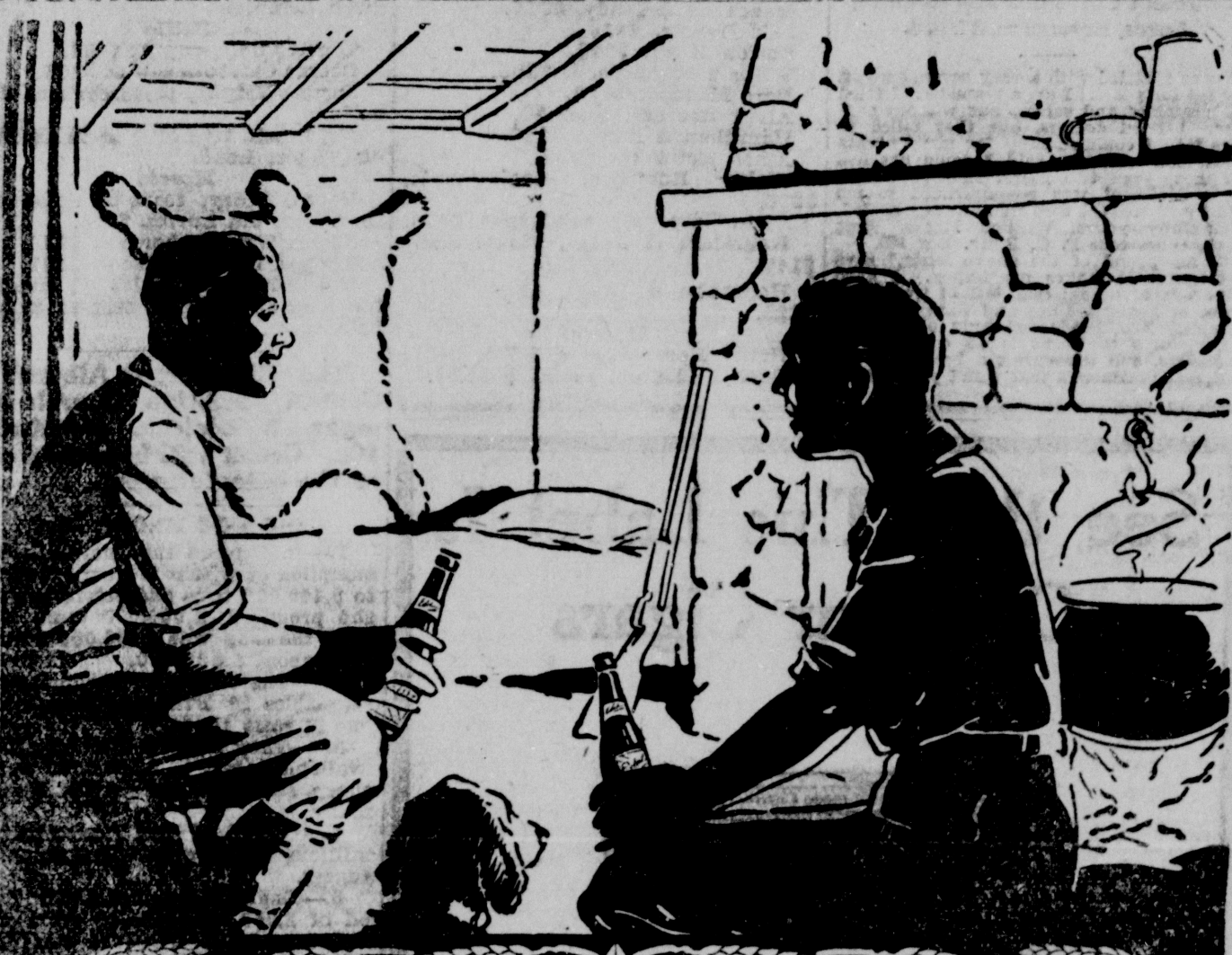
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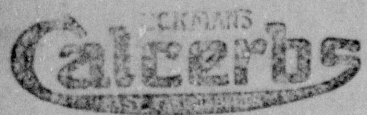
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or throat troubles that threaten to become chronic, this Calerbu's compound will be found effective. The pleasantest form yet devised. Free from harmful or habit-forming drugs. Try them today.

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Women Find It Easy Nowadays to Have Beautiful Hair

In the old days women labored under the delusion that it was injurious to wash the hair more than once a month or even longer. Grease and dirt were allowed to accumulate and cause various kinds of scalp trouble and loss of hair. Most of our grandmothers were constant buyers of quack hair restorers.

Even nowadays, women are afraid to wash their hair as often as it should be, because of the drying effect of most soaps and ordinary shampoo preparations.

At last a preparation is on the market that will prove a boon to the woman who desires beautifully groomed, luxurious hair.

Heand's Fluff is a dainty shampoo, made of the finest vegetable oils. These oils "feed" the hair roots and assist in preventing that dryness that usually follows a shampoo.

Heand's Fluff is delightfully exhilarating. Made solely for the purpose of head washing, by a scientific vacuum process.

Heand's Fluff will help improve hair health and beauty. After a trial your hair will appear softer, silkier and more lustrous.

Heand's Fluff is economical—it is the Perfect Shampoo—Treats as it cleans. A twenty-five cent cake will last for eight or ten shampoos. A perfect shampoo for three cents or less! At your druggist.

Don't accept a substitute—be sure it is Heand's Fluff.

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Women Suffer at Home.

QUINCY, ILL.—"Several years ago a relative of mine suffered with woman's weakness and impoverished blood. She took Doctor Pierce's Favorite Prescription and his Golden Medical Discovery for these ailments with the very best of results. She was most enthusiastic concerning these remedies and was always recommending them. At that time I was quite a young girl and made my home with her. She gave me the 'Favorite Prescription' as a tonic and nerve-builder. It helped me very much and my system only required the one bottle to be made entirely well and strong."—Mrs. B. GALLAGHER, 302½ S. 4th Street.

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"Favorite Prescription," the ever-famous friend to ailing women, and "Golden Medical Discovery," the greatest general tonic are both put up in liquid and tablets, and are to be found in nearly all drug stores. They have enjoyed an immense sale for nearly 50 years, which proves their merits as well as the statements made by users. If not obtainable at your dealer's send 10 cents to Dr. Pierce, Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y., and he will mail trial package of either tablets.

"Corn-Less Day" for Feet, Every Day

Use "Geta-It," the Great Corn Discovery! Makes Corns Peel Right Off!

Look at the illustration below. See the two fingers peeling a corn as though it were a banana peel! And the man is smiling while he's doing it! All done painlessly, joyfully. The moment "Geta-It"



"Geta-It," the Only Genuine, Thorough Corn Peeler Ever Discovered. Demand "Geta-It!" touches a corn or callosity and the growth is doomed. It takes but two seconds to apply "Geta-It." The corn-peel is eased off once. You can sit at your desk or walk about, dance, think, love and work with absolute ease. You can apply "Geta-It" conveniently almost anywhere where you can take your shoe and stocking off for a moment or two. "Geta-It" dries at once; then put your shoe and stocking on again. There's no further excuse for suffering from corns and corn-peels.

"Geta-It" is sold at all druggists (you need pay no more than 25 cents a bottle), or sent on receipt of price by E. Lawrence & Co., Chicago, Ill. Sold in Jacksonville and recommended as the world's best corn remedy by Armstrong's Drug Stores, J. A. Obermeyer & Son, Coover and Shreve and Lyle-Davis Drug Company.—Adv.

WITH BRITISH MEDICAL WORKERS IN FRANCE

Dr. W. Stanley Gibson of Northwestern Unit Writes to Relatives Here: Expects Transfer from English Hospital to Site Behind American Troops.

Morgan county people will be especially interested in reading the following letter written by Dr. W. Stanley Gibson, who is with the Northwestern Medical school unit in France. The letter was written to his sister, Miss Hattie Gibson, and gives in an interesting way some of the writer's observations at the front:

France, January 28, 1918.

Dear Hattie:

It seems strange to read in the papers of the severe cold and windstorms which your have had at home. During the past week the weather has been clear, bright, and as balmy as our usual late April or early May. Yesterday afternoon I took a long walk along the sand dunes and over the hills. I went without overcoat and after walking briskly for an hour I was comfortably warm. The grass is becoming green, buds are swelling and I saw a few shrubs in full flower. We are willing to take back some of the harsh things we said about this climate soon after we came. Of course we shall still have much fog and rain and possibly a little snow, but our winter has been much milder than those which we have been accustomed to at home. The past few days have been splendid for the air men and each day many friendly planes have passed over our camp. Today an English machine flew over and entertained us for several minutes thrilling stunts, looping the loop, doing nose dives, and other fancy capers which made us hold our breath for fear the aviator might fall to right his plane.

I wish you might have been with my roommate and me on a long walk which we took last week. We had a light day's work so set out from camp about noon to visit an historic chateau some six miles away. An amusing thing happened on our trip. At a cross-wide road we were not sure of our way. After waiting a few minutes two women appeared and in my limping French I asked them if they could direct us to the next village. They smiled and answered us in good English. The joke was all on me for I had failed to observe that they wore the uniform of Australian nurses, but we finally found the chateau, located in a most picturesque spot. It is on a knoll overlooking a tiny lake and a valley dotted with quaint houses. It was begun in 1223. Little now remains except the walls and bastions, but these, weather-beaten, overgrown with moss and ivy, the watch towers with the narrow slips in the mossy walls, and the underground passages were the very essence of romance. One could easily imagine robber bands lurking in the neighborhood or plumed knights dashing out to joust or tournament. It gave a new meaning to such books as "Ivanhoe" and "Marmion" and made me wish to read again the stories of those days of chivalry.

This castle was the scene of many historic events in the wars between England and France. It is said that Dickens was especially fond of this section of the country and lived in the vicinity when writing the "Tale of Two Cities". There are many other interesting places which we hope to visit if we have time and opportunity.

There is a persistent rumor afloat to the effect that we shall give up the English hospital here this spring and be transferred behind our own lines. For sentimental reasons we are anxious to be with the American troops, yet we have all learned to love the Tommies. Their discipline, courage and endurance are remarkable. One fellow who had met with an injury to his eye which made it necessary to take the eye out, on awakening from the anaesthetic, said, "Say Doc, you promised me a cigarette," and calmly smoked it as he was being carried from the operating theater to his ward. The quiet way in which they tell of the most harrowing experiences at the front seems almost incredible to us.

We have little chance to see French soldiers except as we meet with them in the village when they are home on leave, but we have the greatest admiration for those of the civilian population with whom we come in contact. When one remembers that their country is fairly overrun with foreigners, English, Canadians, Australians and Americans, they would have reason enough to be irritated by our presence among them, especially since our blunt, uniformly polite and courteous, and in spite of all that they have lost and suffered they are patient, hopeful and almost gay. Situated as we are in comfort and safety we still have little realization of what war means to those who are in the thick of it at the front.

Our food continues good, both in quality and quantity and we haven't yet succeeded in eating up all the candies, nuts and fruit which we received at Christmas time, so that we are much more in danger of suffering from gout or indigestion than we are from lack of food.

With love,
Stanley.

BERT BALL TO ADDRESS FARMERS

As previously mentioned the Morgan County Farmers' club will hold a get together meeting and banquet at the Christian church Thursday, March 14. At that time Mr. Kendall, new county agent, and others will talk about plans for the year's work. Information was received yesterday that Bert Ball will be present to make an address. Mr. Ball has appeared in Jacksonville several times and is a very dynamic speaker. He is now the editor and director of plans of "The County Agent," a farm and community paper published by the Chicago Board of Trade.

CLOVER LEAF MEN ENJOYED BANQUET

The following from the National Underwriter, published in Chicago will be of interest to local people as it refers to the well known Clover Leaf Casualty company. The banquet was held at Hotel LaSalle and was under the supervision of R. Y. Rowe.

Over 50 agents in the monthly department of the Clover Leaf Casualty, located within a radius of fifty miles of Chicago, attended an agency meeting and banquet of the company in Chicago this week. It is planned to have a similar get-together meeting of the men in the monthly department in this district every two or three months hereafter. Secretary R. Y. Rowe was present from the home office and had charge of both the business meeting and dinner.

"The company announced its plans for business getting in the monthly department, and two new policies that will shortly be issued by the company were outlined briefly. William Hale Thompson, mayor of Chicago, was the chief speaker at the banquet, having as his topic "Casualty Insurance."

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Effie Seymour to Ina Seymour, north half northwest quarter north-west quarter 29-14-8, \$1.

Gus Seymour to James L. Seymour, north half northwest quarter northwest quarter, 29-14-8, \$1.

A. Seymour, by heirs, to Guy T. Seymour, north half lot 2 in 6-10-9, \$1.00.

Sherman Luttrell to F. M. Stepheith, east half northwest quarter 33-13-8, \$10.00.

R. W. Launer to Elam Anderson, east half northwest quarter 15-16-10, \$15.00.

O. H. Miller to William Miller, pt. east half northeast quarter 20-15-8, \$9.00.

Sherman Luttrell to F. M. Stepheith, east half northwest quarter 33-13-8, \$10.00.

R. W. Launer to Elam Anderson, east half northwest quarter 15-16-10, \$15.00.

PROBATE COURT

Letters of guardianship were issued to P. S. and J. L. Wheeler as guardians of Minnie Wheeler and bond was fixed in the sum of \$4,000.

In the estate of Thomas Doolin petition for probate of will was filed and hearing set for April 1, 1918.

In the estate of John Lukenmeyer the inventory was approved.

In the estate of J. V. Richardson the final report was approved.

In the guardianship of Russell E. Ornellas report was approved and the guardian discharged.

In the estate of Carrie Anderson report was approved.

In the estate of Allen Spainhower, the petition for the private sale of personal property was allowed.

ANNOUNCEMENT

P. J. Crotty of Woodson hereby announces his candidacy for road district clerk, subject to the will of the voters at the election April 2.

PATRIOTIC SERVICE AND THE CITY'S NEEDS

Editor Journal:

I read and have re-read your editorial on the above subject in Tuesday's Journal. It was splendid. Financially Jacksonville is in a deplorable condition and to use a slang expression we are about at the end of our rope. To date municipal government in the United States has been a failure. The situation here is about that of the average city. We are now floundering in the slough, just as we have been for twenty years, the only difference being that the slough gets deeper year by year and our situation more desperate. Now some of our good citizens seek to escape by going back to the old aldermanic system. What is to be gained by so doing? Just think back to the conditions the last ten years under the old system. No necessity of any recital. Our people remember. A brother attorney has figured up that the Commission form of government has cost us \$40,000. Concede he is right. The old would have cost us more, and then some. The trouble does not lie in the system, it lies in the men elected. As you so well said: "The only real relief that can come * * * is thru a strictly business like economical administration, undertaken by men who are willing to make personal sacrifice." Men who do the work with no thought of personal gain and as a civic duty.

A great calamity forced the people of Galveston to elect the right sort of men to office and then turn over to them the running of the city. Financial bankruptcy may be the calamity which will force the same result upon us. If so it will be a blessing in disguise.

L. O. Vaught.

CATARRH VANISHES

Here is One Treatment That All Sufferers Can Rely Upon

If you want to drive catarrh and all its disgusting symptoms from your system in the shortest possible time, go to your druggist and ask for a Hyomei outfit today.

Breathe Hyomei and it will rid you of catarrh; it gives such quick relief that all who use it for the first time are astonished.

Hyomei is a pure pleasant antiseptic, which is breathed into the lungs over the inflamed membrane; it kills the catarrh germs, soothes the sore spots and heals all inflammation.

Don't suffer another day with catarrh; the disease is dangerous and often ends in consumption. Start the Hyomei treatment today. No stomach dosing, no sprays or douches; just breathe it—that's all. Ask Coover & Shreve Drug Store.—Adv.

A MYSTERIOUS ORIGIN

A gentleman living next door to Mrs. McAvoy says that the fire must have been smoldering in the garret or under the roof for a long time before it broke out. His daughter called his attention to sparks and scraps falling in their yard and asked him to investigate their house which he did, looking up into the garret where all was all right. Mrs. McAvoy's furnace had very little fire in it and how the flames could have been communicated was a mystery but finally when the blaze broke out the gentleman says the whole roof was ablaze.

Andre & Andre are having their office enlarged and various other improvements made in their store. S. P. Carter is the contractor in charge of the work.

HUSBAND SAVES WIFE

From Suffering by Getting Her Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Pittsburgh, Pa.—"For many months I was not able to do my work owing to a weakness which caused backache and headaches. A friend called my attention to one of your newspaper advertisements and immediately my husband bought three bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for me. After taking two bottles I felt fine and my troubles caused by that weakness are a thing of the past. All women who suffer as I did should try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound."—Mrs. JAS. ROHRBERG, 620 Knapp St., N. S., Pittsburgh, Pa.



Women who suffer from any form of weakness, as indicated by displacements, inflammation, ulceration, irregularities, backache, headaches, nervousness or "the blues," should accept Mrs. Rohrborg's suggestion and give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a thorough trial.

For over forty years it has been correcting such ailments. If you have mysterious complications write for advice to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass.

TO PEOPLE WHO CHAFE

Over one hundred thousand people in this country have proved that nothing relieves the soreness of chafing as quickly and permanently as "Sykes Comfort Powder." 25c at Vinol and other drug stores. Trial Box Free. The Comfort Powder Co., Boston, Mass.

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For Expectant Mothers

The well-known, tried and reliable penetrating preparation, "Mother's Friend", is prepared especially for mothers. It is a natural aid to nature in its work and is absolutely and entirely safe. By its use the abdominal muscles expand easily when baby is born and bearing down and stretching pains during the period are avoided. "Mother's Friend" has been used by thousands of women for three generations and no woman should fail to apply it night and morning. Get a bottle today from your druggist and write for illustrated guide book, "Motherhood and the Baby". It is free. Address: The Bradfield Regulator Co., Dept. M, 300 Lamar Building, Atlanta, Ga.

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At Farm N. E. of City Limits

Tuesday, March 12

Registered Holstein Bull, none better

Extra Good Tested Milch Cows

Heifer Calves, from registered sire, tested cows

Horses and Mules

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Tested Seed Corn

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BIG FIVE DAY SALE

Beginning Saturday, March 9

Store Must Be Closed and Everything Cleared Out by Saturday, March 16. My Loss Will Be your Gain.
DON'T FAIL TO TAKE ADVANTAGE OF IT

I have been disappointed in making the connections hoped for; war conditions have made it impossible to secure many lines necessary to the successful operation of this store; traffic conditions make the arrival of goods uncertain; all things have forced me to close out.

EVERY ARTICLE MUST BE SOLD AT LESS THAN COST—BROKEN LOT AT HALF COST.

ALL NOTIONS AT ONE-HALF REGULAR RETAIL PRICE!

COME IN AND LOOK AROUND

HERE'S WHAT YOU WILL FIND

HOUSE DRESSES
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POCKETBOOKS
SILK GLOVES

APRONS
UNDERWEAR
HANDKERCHIEFS
DRESSER SCARFS
KNITTING BAGS
CRETONNES
JAPANESE TRAYS
VEILINGS
NECKWEAR
SILK FLOSS

BASKETS
SILK THREAD
COTTON THREAD
BUTTONS
HAND EMBROIDERED LINEN SETS
FANCY ARTICLES
DRESSMAKERS' SUNDRIES:
(Snaps, hooks, eyes, feather bones, cable cords, at HALF PRICE)

Everything Must Go in Five Days' Fast Selling. I Might Have Sold This Stock Out in a Lump, but Prefer First to Give My Friends the Opportunity to Secure Genuine Bargains.

No phone orders, no C. O. D's., nothing on approval or reserved—Spot cash, five days must clean the shelves—Your last chance to buy such goods at such prices.

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BOARD ABANDONS PLAN TO PAVE COLLEGE AVENUE

ACTION TAKEN AT PUBLIC HEARING THURSDAY AFTERNOON.

Very Large Percentage of the Property Owners Were Opposed to Proposed Improvement This Year—Petitions Given Recognition and Paving Plans Canceled—Like Action Taken With Reference to the West State Extension to Finlay Street.

The public hearing of the proposed paving of West and East College avenue brought forth the largest assemblage of property owners that had been present at any hearing within recent years. Objectors were present in person or by petition representing 11,368 1-2 feet of frontage and the total frontage of the streets according to the records of Public Engineer Henderson is about 15,400 feet.

The sentiment of property owners was so strongly against the proposed improvement that the board after listening to the argument and statements and taking all the facts into consideration, determined to abandon the proceedings and to thus carry out the expressed wishes of the property owners. Mayor Rodgers, Commissioners Widmayer and Vasconcellos of the board were present and R. L. Pyatt served as clerk. Public Engineer E. M. Henderson had the records of the proposed work ready for inspection and reference.

State Street Extension Abandoned.

After taking the action which postponed the College avenue pavement the board took similar action with reference to the proposed extension of the West State street pavement. Hearing for the paving of West State street had been called for Thursday afternoon. No objectors were present but the opinion of the board was that the arguments made with reference to West College avenue applied with equal force to West State street and it was therefore determined to abandon the paving plans there.

The motion to receive and grant the petition of property owners opposing the College avenue pavement was made by Commissioner Vasconcellos with a second by Commissioner Widmayer and when the question was put to a vote Mayor Rodgers and both of the commissioners voted affirmatively.

President C. H. Rammelkamp of Illinois college made the opening remarks in opposition to the pavement and presented a petition on behalf of property owners representing about 11,000 feet of frontage. Others who spoke in opposition were Thomas Worthington, J. P. Lippincott, John A. Ayers, C. H. Ward,

Dr. J. R. Harker, Judge M. T. Layman, Ensley Moore, Dr. G. R. Bradley. Mr. Worthington spoke on behalf of trustees of Illinois college and presented resolutions from the trustees recently passed. Mr. Worthington also read a letter from Andrew Russell, chairman of the board of trustees, expressing disapproval of the paving plans.

State Prepared for Paving. John A. Ayers read resolutions passed by trustees of Westminster church and J. P. Lippincott read resolutions passed by the people of the Congregational church. C. H. Ward asked if the appropriation had been made by the state for their portion of the pavement and Mayor Rodgers replied that the legislature had made appropriations for pavement adjacent to the School for the Deaf, the Insane Hospital and the School for the Blind.

Judge Layman emphasized the argument made by some of his predecessors and Mr. Moore brought out the idea that since the government of the state has expressed disapproval of public improvements at this time, that the city, created through act of the state, should be willing to follow the suit.

Proceedence for Water Plans Urged.

Dr. Harker said that in the twenty five years he had been connected with Illinois Woman's college he had always favored public improvement and he disliked now to spoil that record and he had therefore not attached his name to the petition. He said, however, that in his view the water question should take precedence over all others in Jacksonville this year and that nothing should be done which could in any way possibly interfere with water improvement plans. He believed that paving improvements would to some extent affect the proposed water improvements.

Dr. Rammelkamp and Mr. Worthington referred to the suggestion made several weeks since by Director General McAdoo urging that all public improvements be deferred on account of war conditions. They mentioned also the higher cost of certain materials and the almost certain possibility of delays in transportation because of the priority given to other shipments.

The other speakers talked somewhat along the same lines. Mayor Rodgers said it was the wish of the board to have all persons present express themselves even if their names were already attached to the petition and in order to have a complete record on the feeling of property owners he asked the clerk to read from the list prepared by the public engineer the names of all property owners and those present were asked to state whether or not they were opposed to the pavement, and if property owners called upon were not present due record was made of that fact.

Improvements Always Opposed.

Mayor Rodgers stated that he personally did not feel that it was the government's wish to stop all improvements of this kind where the materials of construction were not desired for any war use. He said too that there was always opposition to every public improvement and that usually after the work is done that the people saw the benefit and were pleased. He did not think, either that the proposed paving would in any way interfere with water supply improvement plans although he is thoroughly in accord with the thought that the most important question before the people this year is that of water supply. However, the mayor indicated that while in his own view it would be best to go ahead with the improvement, that with such a large majority of property owners opposed to the improvement at this time, that it would be his desire to let the majority rule.

Names of Petitioners. Among the property owners who signed petitions asking postponement of the improvement were Trustees Illinois College, Julia H. Holmes,

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The Texas Wonder cures kidney and bladder troubles, dissolves gravel, cures diabetes, weak and lame back, rheumatism and irregularities of the kidneys and bladder in both men and women. Regulates bladder trouble in children. If not sold by your druggist, will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1.00. One small bottle is two months' treatment and seldom fails to perfect a cure. Send for sworn testimonials. Dr. E. W. Hall, 2926 Olive St., St. Louis, Mo. Sold by druggists.—Adv.

Linda McC. Case, Charles H. Ward, John M. Butler, H. S. Stevenson, S. W. Ingalls, Ewen I. Whitlock, Mrs. Mary P. Taylor, M. T. Layman, Charles Raljohns, C. H. Green, J. F. Eckhoff, Kate M. Babb, Charlotte Gray, Charles B. Joy, Florence Rockwood, Walter W. Wright, Ollie Park-wood, George E. Baxter, Mrs. Jennie J. Woods, J. F. Berry, Isaac Moxon, H. E. Rice, A. L. Adams, Joseph Kummel, Julia Mandeville, Lillie Dimmett, G. R. Bradley, Mrs. S. Tendick, James H. Hall, E. J. Degen, John Cherry, H. J. Floreth, Mrs. A. E. Moore, William Floreth, R. C. Smith, Laura M. Smith, Mrs. E. T. Fox, Mrs. W. T. Cole, Stella Cole, Byron Armstrong, H. H. Hall, Misses Dummer, Mrs. Minnie Wheeler, W. H. Kitner, George E. Matthes, H. C. Woltman, J. K. Long, Gates Strawn, Mrs. Florence M. Smith, Mrs. T. J. Packard, Robert A. Mutch, Lenah M. Hayden, Mrs. S. G. Ziegler, C. C. Cochran, Virginia Dinsmore, D. W. Reid, Mrs. Julia A. Ransdell, J. B. Lindsay, Roy Goodrick, Ralph E. Dunlap, Anton Graef, W. J. Bounds, Mattie E. Tapp, H. W. English, L. P. Allcott, H. M. Andre, Mina B. Thompson, Thomas Willerton, Alice M. McGhee, Michael White, Mrs. J. W. Towner, Mrs. Julia McBride, Otto Eckels, Emma Eckels, H. B. Jaeger, W. H. Anderson, W. C. McCullough, Mrs. Annie E. Ferguson, Mrs. Julia Patterson, Mrs. Anna M. Baldwin, Mary W. French, Mrs. Lydia Nifong, Mrs. Elizabeth McCullough, Lena Degen, Carl Faust, L. F. Sanders, J. S. Akke, John Nunes, Joseph Gardner, Mrs. Anna McGill, T. B. Fozzard, Mrs. Catherine Harmon, Katherine Quinlan, Elizabeth Seibert, Sophia Hutchins, Vina Barton, J. F. Buckley, J. C. Walsh, M. D. Shanahan, C. W. Sims, Belle Lewis, Mrs. Emma V. Campbell, Anna Lohman, Lottie York, J. A. Obermeyer, W. C. Ledford, Lester and Ethel Haley, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Lippincott, Walter Bellatti, O. P. Thompson, E. P. Brockhouse, J. P. Brown, Farmers State Bank & Trust Co., Laura White, Anna Brown, Mrs. A. T. Bartlett, Mrs. Jennie B. Stewart, Julius G. Strawn, Congregational Church Trustees, Mrs. Ensley Moore, C. P. Gillett, Alpha B. Applebee, Ellsworth Wells, Westminster Church Trustees.

LIVING PICTURES AT DAVID PRINCE SCHOOL

Very Large Audience Witnessed Program of Artistic Excellence.

The living pictures with music staged at the David Prince gymnasium Thursday night drew an audience which filled the room to overflowing. The pictures were under the direction of Mr. Homer G. Davisson and were given under the auspices of the art department of the Jacksonville public schools, of which Miss Harriet Seibert is the competent director.

The funds realized from the entertainment were for the benefit of the Junior Red Cross society. The program of forty seven numbers consumed something more than two hours. The pictures were of the most artistic type and were presented with a truth and realism which made them beautiful indeed. It was an artistic program which both the children and the grownups could appreciate and the entertainment had the manifest approval of the large audience present. The program as given has already been published.

ENLISTS AS PETTY OFFICER

Great Lakes, Ill., March 7.—"Paddy" Driscoll, all-western half-back for two seasons at Northwestern university and infielder with the Chicago Cubs last year, was enlisted today as a petty officer at the Great Lakes Naval Training Station. He will report immediately.

FIGURE SKATING CHAMPIONSHIP AWARDED

New York, March 7.—The International Figure Skating Championship was awarded tonight to the Hon. Mrs. Seton R. Beresford of London England, by a narrow margin over the only other woman competitor, Miss Theresa Weld of Boston.

In the championship pairs Miss Weld and Nathaniel W. Niles, Boston, were awarded first prize, the only other pair being Mrs. Channing Frothingham and Sherwin C. Badger, also Boston. The gentlemen's international free skating championship was won by N. W. Niles, Boston.

WILL BE CLOSED TODAY

Prairie College or Moore School will be closed today in memory of the late George W. Moore, who for many years resided in the district, and for whom the school was first named.

BURNED TO DEATH

Rock Island, Ill., March 7.—Leyton Rice, aged 35 was burned fatally today at his home by exploding gasoline. The accident was a result of his attempt to burn gasoline in a furnace.

GIBBS WINS FROM CHIP

Seranton, Pa., Mar. 7.—Tom Gibbons of Et. Paul defeated George Chip of New Castle, Pa., in a ten round bout here tonight. Gibbons won nine of the ten rounds with the other boxing about even.

BODY OF JOHN REDMOND LYING IN STATE

London, March 7.—The body of John Redmond is now lying in Westminster Cathedral. The funeral arrangements have not yet been completed, but it is said that interment probably will be in the family vault at Wexford.

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GERMAN PEOPLE CALLED UPON FOR SACRIFICES

Articles Appear in German Newspapers Entreatng Population to Give up Their Most Cherished Keepsakes and Heirlooms—Enthusiasm of Earlier Days Not Apparent.

Amsterdam, Netherlands, March. (Correspondence of The Associated Press.)—It has become increasingly difficult to separate the German people from their remaining possessions in the way of gold and jewelry. The fierce enthusiasm of the earlier times has apparently burnt itself out. A reaction has come and loud and insistent are the calls upon the public for more sacrifices to be offered up on the altar of the Fatherland.

The familiar big type appeals in the newspapers, "Do not speak to strangers about hard times—be aware of spies" have given place to the admonition:

"Speak freely to strangers if they wear gold, and tell them to take it without delay to the nearest purchase office. Say to them: What would your gold avail you if the enemy invaded our country? Remember that until recently certain German communities still bent under the burden of war tributes dating back to the time of Napoleon!"

Inspired articles have once more made their appearance in the German newspapers entreatng the population to give up their last and most cherished keepsakes and heirlooms. No sentimental considerations must stand in the way.

Told Reason for Imperative Tone. The Berlin Lokal Anzeiger pointed out that there was an imperative reason why the peremptory tone in which the official appeals were couched. In the first quarter of 1917 the paper circulation was 697,000,000 marks higher than in the last quarter of 1916. In the second quarter it was 975,000,000 higher, and in the third quarter 1,809,000,000 marks higher and the gold cover had shrunk to 22.6% of the face value of the paper in circulation. Therefore, more gold cover was an urgent and immediate necessity.

Cities like Hamburg and Bremen, a few towns in East Prussia, the Rhine Provinces and Saxony were honorably singled out as having yielded per head of the population fifteen marks in gold, which seems to have been the maximum effort so far; but in the rural districts it has been extremely difficult to make the people see the necessity of the moment. An example of how the peasantry look at it was the case, related by the Lokal Anzeiger of a farmer who was known to have some thousands of marks in gold hoarded. The village priest took him sternly to task:

"You have a son at the front. May he return safe and sound! But you must be prepared to give him up to the country. And yet you refuse to give up those few miserable marks?"

The old farmer replied doggedly: "My son belongs to the Emperor; my money is mine."

Denounced War Profiteers

Berlin is holding back. The capital it would seem, is the place where the appeals are least heeded, and the Lokal Anzeiger has denounced the war profiteers and others who still "walk about with fat gold chains and rings," not to mention their womenfolk, who are often laden with jewelry.

The story is told of a much-ornamented woman who petulantly complained at a fashionable department store about being unable to get Danish cream. She was told that if she got rid of some of her superfluous jewelry she would help make credits abroad whereby cream and other good things could be obtained.

Of course there were exceptions. An unnamed noblewoman of Frankfurt has sacrificed her two pearl necklaces worth over a million marks and one or two burghers have given up their gold chains of office. It is also announced that 16% of the jewels delivered up to the Imperial Bank of Germany have been contributed by German princely houses.

Mrs. C. A. Dill of Chicago, who has been visiting the past week at the home of her uncle, G. L. Hoover on East College Street, returned home last evening.

DROPS OF MAGIC! LIFT OUT CORNS

Sore, touchy corns stop hurting, then lift right out with fingers

For a few cents you can get a small bottle of the magic drug freezone recently discovered by a Cincinnati man. Just ask at any drug store for a small bottle of freezone. Apply a few drops upon a tender, aching corn or callus and instantly all soreness disappears and shortly you will find the corn or callus so loose that you lift it off with the fingers. Just think! Not one bit of pain before applying freezone or afterwards. It doesn't even irritate the surrounding skin. Hard corns, soft corns, or corns between the toes also hardened calluses on bottom of feet, shrivel up and fall off without hurting a particle. It is almost magical. Ladies! Keep a tiny bottle on the dresser and never let a corn or callus ache twice.—Adv.

CASHIER CONFESSES TO SHORTAGE OF \$7,500

WEST SALEM, Ill., March 7.—J. A. Turner, cashier of the First National Bank here has confessed to a discrepancy of \$7,500 in his accounts, the irregularities dating back for a period of ten years, according to the police.

Turner is said to have made a voluntary confession after bank examiners had scrutinized his accounts and were preparing to report them correct.

Ten years ago the confession says, a shipment of \$7,000 was made from a government sub-treasury to the bank of which Turner was cashier. The shipment never came, Turner insists, but in an effort to cover this loss false entries were made. Other circumstances increased the defalcations to \$7,500, altho he says none of the money was used in speculation.

FILES AMENDED COMPLAINT

Madison, Wis., March 7.—United States Senator Robert M. LaFollette filed an amended complaint today in his \$100,000 libel suit against O. D. Brandenburg, editor of the Madison Democrat and the Democrat Printing company, eliminating ten out of eighteen causes of action. The senator also refused to appear in Madison for examination tomorrow as desired by the defendants. The causes of action eliminated include speeches by Roosevelt, Root, and J. B. Winslow, Wisconsin chief justice and also the charge to the grand jury, by Federal Judge W. R. Burns of Houston, Texas, mentioning LaFollette as a subject for indictment.

The remaining causes for suit are the printing of speeches.

CHARGES SCANDAL

Washington, March 7.—Charges in Rome by Senator Marconi that there have been scandals and irregularities in connection with purchases for the Italian government in this country have drawn a request by cable from Francesco Quattrone, member of the Italian mission here that the Senator be specific in his statements instead of reflecting upon all officials concerned in such purchases.

WISCONSIN WINS B. B. HONORS

Madison, Wis., March 7.—Wisconsin won the Western Conference basketball championship tonight by defeating Northwestern 26 to 18. Minnesota is now in second place while Northwestern is third.

JOURNEY RESUMED

Denver, Colo., March 7.—Mrs. William Hale Thompson, wife of Chicago's mayor, who suffered a slight attack of ptomaine poisoning in Denver yesterday, recovered and resumed her journey to the Pacific coast this morning.


DO NOT LOSE A SINGLE VESSEL

Washington, March 7.—German submarines did not sink a single Italian vessel during the week ending March 2. One steamer was attacked by a submarine without success.

ATTENTION G. A. R.

Regular meeting of Matt Starr Post No. 378 this evening. J. M. Swales, Commander. C. E. McDougall, Adjutant.

Charles McDonald and family have moved from the farm near Litterberry to the old home place about two miles northeast of the city.




LADIES' DEPARTMENT

Many a man has started a checking account for his wife, to teach her banking methods. It is a wise precaution. In these days of uncertainty it is well to guard against the unforeseen.

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| Armands Face Powder | 50c | Nyal Cleaning Paste | 25c |
| Imperial Cold Cream | 25c | Camphor Cream Liniment | 25c |
| Nylolids Face Powder | 25c | Nyal Laxative Fig Syrup | 50c |
| Nyal Hair Dye | 25c and 50c | Nyal Kidney Pills | 50c and 25c |
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ELLIOTT STATE BANK PEOPLE AT DINNER.

All employees of the Elliott State bank were guests of the officers of the bank at a 6 o'clock dinner given last night at Colonial Inn. The regular banking hours of each day are so crowded that the workers have little time for comradeship or to talk over business plans, so it was the idea of the officers to have this evening dinner in order to meet socially and for conference. It has been a banking custom in some of the cities for a number of years past and the Elliott State bank people, sixteen in number, who attended the dinner last night were of one mind that the plan is excellent.

It is easy to understand that the Elliott State bank is a busy place when it is remembered that the business has more than doubled in the past five years and so, as indicated, each day is so crowded that there is really no opportunity for meeting socially. The bank force is made up of persons who are enthusiastic in their support of the institution and to their devotion to the work a part of the growth of the bank must be attributed. Major and Mrs. Vickery had made ample preparations for the dinner, which was in every way excellent.

The "Photograph Album" at Central Christian Church tonight, 8 o'clock. Admission 10c. Cocoa will be served after the entertainment.

Henry Rees of Clemens station was a visitor in town yesterday.

GOOD VAUDEVILLE AT GRAND.

Manager Johnson is offering three of the best acts at the Grand that have graced the theater for some time. The bill is headed by the Four Juggling Normans and is an act well worth the price of admission in itself. There also is the Stroud Trio, high class musical act. Haddy and Haddy complete the bill with an excellent singing, talking and comedy turn. The opening Thursday afternoon was most successful and Thursday evening they were standing up. The bill continues today and tomorrow and Grand patrons should not fail to see these offerings.

ANOTHER SHIPMENT OF PATTERN HATS FROM NEW YORK RECEIVED TODAY AT HERMAN'S.

IS NOW OVER THERE.

Duncan Ferguson of this city has received a card from his daughter, Miss Catherine Ferguson announcing her safe arrival somewhere "Over There." Miss Ferguson was engaged in public health nursing in Yonkers, New York, and gave up the work to take up Red Cross nursing in the army. She recently embarked with an American unit for Europe. It is needless to say that Mr. Ferguson was pleased to learn of her safe arrival.

WEST SIDE ART CLUB

The West Side Ladies Art Club will meet this afternoon with Mrs. Jennie Brannon and Mrs. Bell Paniel at the home of Mrs. Brannon on South Fayette street.

MAN OF MANY FRACTURES DIES

John Hanley Died Suddenly at Passavant Hospital Thursday Afternoon—Suffered Twenty-One Bone Fractures in Accident at Booth, Mo.

John Hanley of Logansport, Ind., died suddenly at 4:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon at Passavant hospital where he had been a patient for nine weeks, of hemorrhage of the brain.

Hanley while engaged in construction work in the roundhouse of the Chicago & Alton railroad company, at Booth, Mo., was caught in a shafting and suffered 21 bone fractures. He was brought to this city to Passavant hospital where he was attended by Dr. Carl E. Black. Examination showed that he had scarcely a good bone in his body. Little hope was given out for his recovery and his case attracted wide attention.

However, he was placed in a plaster cast and had shown steady improvement and it was thought was on the road to ultimate recovery. For the past three weeks he has been able to be moved about in a wheel chair. He was stricken suddenly Thursday afternoon and death soon came.

Deceased was about 28 years of age and was well known and highly respected in his home city. He was a personal friend of W. G. Bied, president of the Chicago & Alton railroad. After the accident Mr. Bied arranged to have everything possible done for the injured man. He was a member of the Elks and the local lodge looked carefully after his comfort.

The remains were removed to the undertaking parlors of J. G. Reynolds and prepared for burial. No arrangements have been made for the funeral but it is probable the funeral will be held and burial made in Logansport.

Owing to the circumstances incident to Hanley's death it is possible that Coroner Rose will empanel a jury and hold an inquest.



Harmony Lodge No. 3, A. F. & A. M. school this morning and afternoon. Special meeting at 7:30 for work. Visiting brethren welcome.

W. R. Handline, W. M.
John R. Phillips, Sec'y.

AN INCIPIENT BLAZE

Yesterday afternoon several young men were in a store on the square conversing about the weather, the war, the price of wheat and kindred topics when one of them lit a cigar and thought no more about it. Suddenly one who was sitting on a table felt something uncomfortably warm under his legs and looking down saw that when he lit his cigar he dropped the lighted match on a piece of paper protruding from under the table and on a shelf some distance above the floor. There was quite a lot of paper in the pile and it as well ignited but when pulled out on the floor several pairs of feet soon stamped it out. Another explanation of how fires start mysteriously.

Sigma Pi-Phi Alpha debate Friday, March 8th. I. C. Chapel, 8 o'clock.

DR. MYRON L. PONTIUS RETURNS FROM TEXAS

Dr. Myron L. Pontius pastor of Central Christian church returned home last night from Houston, Texas, where he has been engaged in religious work at Camp Logan. Dr. Pontius supplemented for the Y-man and the camp chaplain and was a busy man during his stay in camp.

On Sunday he delivered five different addresses. Dr. Pontius said last night that the work was strenuous but that he enjoyed it greatly and aside from being rather tired was in good health. He felt that his month's work had resulted in good.

Dr. Pontius said that he left all the Jacksonville boys in good health. There is a feeling that before long they will be enroute to France. While he was in camp the Eighth Regiment, colored from Illinois entrained for the east, the past week and it is believed that it will go across immediately.

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PASSAVANT TRUSTEES Last evening the trustees of Passavant hospital met to consider the report of the committee appointed to revise the by-laws of the institution. The task was a long one and occupied the time of the trustees until a late hour.

SMALL BLAZE AT J. CAPPS & SONS.

Fire was discovered in what is known as the "picker" house at the plant of J. Capps & Sons Thursday afternoon about 1:45 o'clock. The fire department made a prompt response but upon arrival Chief Hunt found that the sprinkler system installed thruout the plant had quenched the flames. The fire was confined in a room with iron walls and Chief Hunt said that it would have been impossible for it to do any outside damage. A quantity of wool was destroyed. It is thought the fire was caused by sparks from the machine thru which the wool is run.

NEW MANAGER FOR POSTAL TELEGRAPH CO.

Palmer E. Murphy has come to Jacksonville from an eastern city to take a position as manager of the Postal Telegraph Co. He will supply the post made vacant by the resignation of G. E. Lamb, who has resigned to go to St. Louis.

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NORTHERN LIGHTS VIEWED BY THOUSANDS

Aurora Borealis of Especial Brilliance Visible for Seven Hours Last Night.

Many were the people who viewed the aurora borealis so brilliantly visible in the northern sky last night. The phenomenon was to be seen for more than an hour and a half and rarely is an aurora of such brilliancy viewed. A Jacksonville man who is somewhat versed in astronomy said last night that based on experience it is entirely probable that there will be several appearances of the aurora borealis during the next few nights. This same local authority from a book in his library gave the following facts:

"The phenomenon of the aurora borealis is supposed to be due to the passage of electric currents thru the higher regions of the atmosphere, the different colors manifested being produced by the passage of the electricity thru air of different densities. In the northern hemisphere the aurora borealis always appears in the north. In the southern hemisphere it appears in the south. It originates at or near the poles of the earth. The aurora is not a local phenomenon but is seen simultaneously at places widely remote from each other, as in Europe and in America. The general height of the aurora is supposed to be between 100 and 200 miles above the surface of the earth but it sometimes appears within the region of the clouds. Auroras are seen more frequently in winter than in summer. They affect in a peculiar manner electric telegraph wires."

The phenomenon affected telegraph service here last night and for a time interfered with the Journal's Associated Press wire.

Visible in Washington. Washington, March 7.—Brilliant lights in the sky over the capital tonight brought a large part of the population into the streets to observe what was thought to be a big fire. It was the Aurora Borealis, and officials of the naval observatory said the display was the best they ever had seen in this latitude.

Elaborate Display at Duluth. Duluth, Minn., March 7.—An elaborate display of the Aurora Borealis appeared tonight. The lights centered from a huge dome which was first sighted in the east, they then took the form of an eagle with full spread wings, the outline being plainly sketched in red, white and blue.

Visible Thruout New England. Boston, March 7.—An Aurora Borealis of brilliant red was visible thruout New England tonight for a period of about three hours. At the Harvard observatory it was said that the color resulted from peculiar electrical conditions in the upper strata of the atmosphere.

Cause Trouble to Wires. Chicago, March 7.—The Aurora Borealis caused much trouble for telegraph and telephone companies in the central west tonight. In Chicago thousands of persons telephoned the newspapers thinking that the glow in the sky was caused by a conflagration.

Witnessed in the South. Memphis, Tenn., March 7.—For more than two hours tonight the Aurora Borealis illuminated the northern skies, making one of the most brilliant displays of the northern lights ever witnessed here. The appearance of the phenomena in the south is very rare.

Fine Display in Illinois. Decatur, Ill., March 7.—Central Illinois witnessed the finest display of the Aurora Borealis in the memory of older residents tonight from 7 to 10:30. Starting with a huge arched yellow dome which blotted out stars with its brightness, the display ended with rose-colored beams so bright that hundreds believed it to be a conflagration reflected in the sky.

PLANTS OATS EARLY

D. E. Kennedy this year is keeping up his record of being the first Morgan county man to plant oats. A person who passed Mr. Kennedy's farm in the Arcadia neighborhood yesterday saw five four horse teams attached to drills and the sowing of the 40 acre field will be completed this morning. Mr. Kennedy believes in the early sowing of oats and year after year he has found this plan much preferable to late sowing.

INTEREST SHOWN IN REGISTRATION.

Women are showing great interest in registration thruout the county. So far 778 calls for registration cards have been received from Morgan county districts outside of Jacksonville. In the city all of the chairmen and helpers are busy completing the work so that report can be made immediately to headquarters.

FUNERALS

Gorham.

Funeral services for Isaac Gorham were held from Bethel A. M. E. church Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock in charge of the Rev. Mr. Fisher and the Rev. H. H. DeWitt. Music was furnished by the choir of the church. The flowers were cared for by Mrs. Laura Lafayette. Burial was in Jacksonville cemetery the bearers being James Young, James Matthews, Frank Tate, Orrie Moore, Marion Coen and W. M. Jones.

TRANSFERRED TO CAMP SHERIDAN

John W. Larson, who has been in the quartermasters division at Camp Sheridan, E. Johnston, Jacksonville, Fla., was recently transferred to Camp Sheridan, Montgomery, Ala., where he will be connected with the base hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. James H. Hall have returned from a visit of several days in Chicago. Mr. Hall went to Chicago on a combined business and pleasure trip.

FUNERAL NOTICE

Funeral services for Miss Jane Ann Middleton will be held this afternoon at Point Church at two o'clock in charge of Rev. J. O. Kirkpatrick. Interment will be made at Liberty cemetery.

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MYERS BROTHERS.

PROMINENT LABOR MAN WILL SPEAK

George P. Lischer of Springfield Will Address Union Men at the Labor Temple Sunday Afternoon—Has Given Much Thought to Labor Problems.

George P. Lischer of Springfield, president of the Illinois Typographical Union will deliver an address at Labor Temple Sunday afternoon. Mr. Lischer has been prominently identified with Union labor for many years and has made a close study of labor problems and always has something of interest to say.

Tho the speaker probably will dwell to some extent on questions affecting the printing craft he also will speak on other subjects of interest to all organized labor.

Mr. Lischer is being brought here under the auspices of Jacksonville Typographical Union No. 356. All labor men are cordially invited to hear him Sunday afternoon.

GREAT PATRIOTIC PROGRAM AT SECOND BAPTIST CHURCH

The colored citizens of this city were out in large numbers last evening to witness a rare treat, a patriotic concert given under direction of Mrs. Laura Lafayette assisted by Capt. Freeman's orchestra.

The following program was rendered: "Dixie Land"—Miss A. Shelly and chorus.

"Ove' There"—Mrs. Aaron Swar and Miss Francis McDaniels.

"Just Before the Battle M'other"—Mr. Roy Ross.

"Tramp, Tramp, Tramp"—Mr. Paul Herman.

"Little Tin Soldier"—Alberta and Wilfred Kirk and Sarah E. Barnett.

"Yankee Doodle"—Elenora Lafayette and chorus.

"We are Going Over"—Elenora Lafayette and A. Shelly.

"The Vacant Chair"—Mrs. Leon Johnson.

"Good-bye Broadway, Hello France"—Francis McDaniels, Orpheta Shelly, Elenora Lafayette and Aaron Swar.

"Tenting Tonight"—Mrs. A. Swar and others. Recitation, "The Whistling Regiment"—Miss Clemeth Harold. Address, "The part for our women in winning the war"—Dr. A. H. Kenziebrew.

"The Star Spangled Banner"—Mrs. C. H. Freeman and chorus.

Capt. Freeman's orchestra rendered several selections during the evening in keeping with the spirit of the meeting. The women voted to start a "Win the War Club."

ANNOUNCEMENT

J. W. McAllister of Woodson heretofore announces his candidacy for road District Clerk subject to the will of the voters at the election April 2nd.

FOR SHERIFF.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for sheriff on the Democratic ticket, subject to the decision of the primaries to be held Wednesday, September 11, 1918.

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